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CENTRE COUNTY IN THE CIVIL WAR.

148th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers.

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[To be Continued.]

CHAPTER X.

Night, gloomy and rainy, was coming on and we finally got started for camp. The men all pushed and the horses pulled a little. We reached camp after night with three or four sticks in the wagon; though we had done our best.

The colonel was evidently expecting us. He knew our sentiments on the guard house subject, and did not seem to expect great results from this expedition. He was on hand with a lantern; he looked into the empty wagon and said, hoom-m-m. He suspected us for playing off on him. He examined the welted, bleeding horses but said nothing. We were wet all over, tired, mud-covered and cross.

Next morning at day-break the same detail, balky team and all, was again sent forth under peremtory orders to bring in guard house timber and we went. Though the weather was no better and the mud some deeper, we returned in the afternoon with a fair load of guard house logs. On following consecutive days other details went out, till the guard house, roofed with pine branches, no floor, bench or bunk to rest upon, cheerless and fireless as before, again went into active business.

This guard house business did not add one iota to the discipline and efficiency of the regiment, but it made many enemies for the colonel. The 148th P. V. was the only regiment, except one in the Division, that we can recall, that had guard house or camp guards. There was not a regiment in the Army of the Potomac that had less need of a guard house for criminals than the 148th. There was not a regiment in the army that was more easily controlled and disciplined; there was no need of harshness. Our system of camp guard more than doubled the duty of our men, who, therefore, did double the duty and endured double the exposure of other regiments.

During the whole of that awful winter of 1862 63 more than thirty men were constantly on camp guard duty watching, we knew not what, and walked their beats amid snow, rain and storm the winter through, around the regimental camp with no orders to stop anyone anywhere on that great circle.

I recall how, on one occasion, as a convalescent and scarcely able to walk, I served with a detail for twenty-four hours and walked the beat in twelve inches of snow and falling rain; no fire, and was laid up, sick, for ten days as were half the detail.

The sergeant in command of the Reserve or "off relief guards" stationed at the guard house, was held responsible for giving the proper salute to all officers passing the guard house and reserve guards.

A "line officer," known by a single row of brass buttons on his coat, received the salute of shouldered arms—left arm raised, elbow extending, left hand crossing the breast, touching the musket. A "field officer," known by two rows of brass buttons on his coat, received the salute of present arms. When the guard was formed and the position of salute assumed the men were required to stand rigid and motionless as iron statues till the officers had well gone by; then stack arms, stand round and watch the road in both directions for the next coming "grandee."

This performance was required and repeated for every officer who passed; on busy days the boys were kept on the jump, and the constantly repeated commands of the sergeant were heard: "fall in! take arms! shoulder arms! present arms! shoulder arms! stack arms!" These movements, with a little variation to suit the rank, were strictly carried out in all cases.

We aped so closely the high-toned customs of the regulars that we were often asked whether we were not regulars, and were nick-named "white gloves" and "Sunday soldiers."

The colonel was a brave, patriotic man and possessed many noble qualities. He was a great disciplinarian, proud of his regiment and loyal to his men. Yet, like other men, he had faults, and at times was hasty. His greatest fault it seemed to us, was his great inclination to pattern after the officers of the regular army, whose imperious exactions and disciplinary cruelty were notorious in the army and often brought discontent and desertion. He had a mania for placing officers and men under arrest at times for the most trivial causes.

The process of elimination may also be applied to divorce.

The Altoona hospital received an appropriation of $50,000.

"The Maid and the Mummy."

"The Maid and the Mummy" which was so successful in Philadelphia early in the season that it now comes back for an extended run, might well have been named "The Maids and the Mummy," as it is difficult to decide just what maid of many is meant. The plot is something like this: A defunct theatrical manager the "props" of the company which the sheriff hasn't seized and opens a fake curiosity shop. Doctor Elisha Dobbins, in search of an Egyptian mummy visits the shop, and Stubbs, the proprietor, together with Bolivar, his man of all work, and Don Cabanas, who is in love with the doctor's daughter, hit upon a plan to supply a mummy. Bolivar is wrapped in a winding sheet and sold to the doctor, who believes that his elixir of life will restore him to life. Bolivar leaves the sarcophagus for a short rest, and Mac Swat, the detective, seeking a hiding place, is stowed away in the mummy's quarters in Bolivar's stead. Upon discovering the detective, the doctor fondly believes he has brought to life a full-fledged Scotch detective, and during a temporary fit of exultation, delivers his daughter to Cabanas, for whom Stubbs is supposed to have procured the mummy specimen.

The play opened at the Walnut Street Theatre, Phila., Monday evening and will probably remain until the weather gets so hot that indoor entertainment becomes unbearable.

Child Seriously Injured.

As Jacob Laub, residing near Maitland, was doing some hauling his little girls, aged four and six years, asked to be placed on the horses' backs for a ride, with which request the father complied, but while he was a short distance away the horses passed under a tree, which scraped both children to the ground. The father hearing the children scream hurried to their assistance, finding one of the horses standing with a foot resting on the abdomen of the oldest child. He removed the horse as carefully as he could, then sent for a physician, who rendered the necessary medical assistance, and while the child was seriously hurt it is believed it will recover. The other child was injured about the face but not seriously.

LOCALS.

That tired feeling is taking hold.

Delightful weather, these April days.

A delightful time to brush up the gloomy corners.

Another family that has moved from Fiedler to Seattle, South Dakota, is that of L. K. Dennis.

P. R. Auman, of Spring Mills, will put the finishing touches, with the paint brush, on the residence of D. J. Meyer.

Burnham has a case of small-pox. A visitor from Mt Union is charged with having brought the disease to that place.

At an administrator's sale the house and lot of the late William Alters, located in Millheim, was sold to Jacob Alters for $500

Charles Shearer, of Cedar Springs, has decided to quit the blacksmithing business and move to Williamsport. It will be remembered that the Shearer family lost all their household goods by the burning of the residence in which they lived.

A pleasant caller at the Reporter office Friday of last week was M. B. Herring, of Spring Mills, one of the justices of Peace in Gregg township. He was here to look after the interests of the Van Valzahs, who own a farm west of Centre Hall.

Friday of last week Claude K. Stahl, of this place, finished his first term as teacher of a public school, having taught the Grammar grade of the Lemont schools. He left College township with a good record, all of which the Reporter is happy to note.

Philip A. Leister, of Maitland, was in town last week and took home with him his son, Master Frank Leister, who during the winter lived with L. J. Burris, west of town. Mr. Leister was driving a fine team of black horses, his own raising, which proves that he is an all right farmer and is handling his farm of considerable over one hundred acres to the best advantage.

Samuel Koch came home from Darragh Friday evening on a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Koch, east of Centre Hall. Mr. Koch informs the Reporter that M. M. Condo had an accident befall him the other day that was rather painful and might have been of a serious nature. He was a spectator where an excavation was being made, when the handle of a power scoop swung around out of position and inflicted injury. He was knocked down and a gash was cut over his forehead that looked frightful before the surgeon dressed it. No serious results are anticipated.

Trial List.

The trial list for the third week, special court, follows:

Jane Herron, et. al., vs. C. C. Loose, et. al.

The Farmer's Nursery Co. vs. H. H. Harshberger.

Chas. F. Schad vs. Milesburg boro.

Wm. E. Shope's admrs. vs. Jas. N. Shope.

Cyrus Brungart vs. Mary Thomas, et. al.

Clyde E. Shuey vs. Bellefonte Furnace.

Martin Daley, Sr., vs. German American Insurance Co.

Geo. T. Brew vs. W. H. Marcy, et. al.

E. S. Bennitt vs Frank McCoy.

N. H. Yearick vs. McNitt Bros. & Co.

Wm. D. Rider vs. Bellefonte Window Glass Co.

Chas. Guisewhite vs. Bellefonte Window Glass Co.

J. D. Hunter's admrs. vs. Bellefonte Window Glass Co.

Wm. G. Frant vs. Rush twp.

H. B. Wright vs. Joseph Diehl.

Kemp & Burpee Mfg. Co. vs. J. I. Thompson.

Wilson G. Frant vs. Robt. Kelly.

Com. of Pa. vs. Ellen E. Bower, et. al.

W. H. Williams' admrs. vs. Ellen E. Bower.

Christian Dale's exrs. vs. Clement Dale.

W. Harrison Walker, guardian, vs. Ellen E. Bower, et. al.

A. Blanche Hoy vs. Clement Dale.

Deaths in Adjoining Counties.

At Milroy, John B. Platt, aged seventy-two years.

John S. Kong, of Centreville, aged eighty-one years.

Peter Krick, of New Berlin, aged sixty-five years.

At Lewistown, George Adair, aged forty-three years.

Gabriel Beaver, in Middleburg, aged seventy-two years.

Samuel D. Braucher, aged sixty-eight years, in Laurelton.

Near Milroy, Mrs. Sarah M. Gilmore, aged eighty-two years.

In Bratton township, Mifflin county, Mrs. Adaline Dull, aged sixty-four years.

In Wayne township, Mifflin county, Mrs. Mary Miller, widow of Jacob Miller, aged sixty-four years.

At Maitland, Mrs. Amelia K. Arnold, wife of Thomas Arnold, aged fifty-three years.

Robert H. Irvin, at Mifflinburg, aged sixty-five years. He was a member of Company E, 51st Penn. Reg.

John W. Seabold, of near Dice, Union county, aged fifty-five years. Death was due to pneumonia. Interment was made at New Berlin.

A Thoughtful Miss.

The following was received from Miss M. Helen Crawford, the spokeswoman of the Junior Class of the Millheim High School at the recent commencement exercises. The note explains itself. From the tidiness and correctness of this communication, Miss Crawford at least will measure up to the standard:

Having this morning been the recipient of a copy of the Centre Reporter, I hereby wish to express my appreciation of the same.

Your kindly recognition of the efforts of the graduating class proves that town pride does not prevent your seeing virtues in those of another town.

I trust you may have the pleasure of attending the graduating exercises of our class, and that we may be able to fully measure up to the standard.

Keith's Theatre.

This week at Keith's Philadelphia Theatre the attractions are unusually strong. "The Zancigs" are there for the first time and positively for one week only. The Zancigs are world-renowned mind-readers, and blindfolded will read the addresses on letters carried in your inside pocket. A special added attraction is Blind Tom, the pianist. Also, Smith and Cook, acrobatic comedians; Gardner and Crane—comedy sketch, "Am I Your Wife;" Calahan and Mack, Irish comedy sketches, etc., etc. Always something new and interesting. Prices—25c, 50c, 75c.

Paragon Chestnut Trees.

E. P. Shook, of Spring Mills, offers for sale a limited number of Paragon chestnut trees at a very reasonable price. The Paragon chestnut is a very profitable nut to grow, and there are many waste places that might yield considerable cash to the owner if set to these trees, instead of presenting a barren appearance.

Presented Library with History.

General James A. Beaver presented Progress Grange library with a copy of the History of the 148th Regiment. The volume is much appreciated by the members of the Grange, who are proud of their library which is being gradually enlarged.

Keep your bowels regular by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. There is nothing better. For sale by C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville; F. A. Carson, Potters Mills.

Disposition of Liquor Licenses.

A false impression is current regarding the power of the court to grant licenses after this date. It is understood by many that the court's privilege to grant licenses expired on the first of April, the fact being that licenses may be granted at any time during the year.

Since the last issue of the Reporter license has been granted the following:

WHOLESALE LIQUOR.

George Parks, Philipsburg.
John Boyce, Snow Shoe.

LICENSES REFUSED.

Wholesale Beer—Chas. Moersbacher, Bellefonte
Wholesale Liquor—James Black, Philipsburg
" Andrew M. Reeser, Rush
" Geo. J. Kachik, Snow Shoe

LICENSES WITHDRAWN.

Wholesale Beer—C. M. Heisler, Bellefonte
Wholesale Liquor—David Chambers, Snow Shoe

LICENSES HELD OVER.

Tavern—C. M. & C. B. Garman, Bellefonte
" G. B. M. Brungart, Millheim
" W. B. Price, Philipsburg
Wholesale Liquor—Philip Garbrick, Bellefonte

LOCALS.

Advertise.

Read the Reporter.

Young clover is looking very promising.

How about it? Do you read the Reporter?

The school pictures may be seen at this office.

George Ingram moved from Bellefonte to Pleasant Gap.

Constable W. H. Runkle was in Williamsport last week to visit his brother.

J. Kyle McFarlane, of Bellefonte, has been reported seriously ill by the Bellefonte papers.

Paul Murray, a senior at Pennsylvania State College, came home Friday evening to spend the Easter vacation.

Mount Union, a town of 1000 inhabitants in Huntingdon county, has nearly one hundred cases of smallpox under quarantine.

The present address of Rev. A. S. Bierly, formerly pastor of the United Evangelical Association in Penns Valley, is Pillow, Dauphin county.

Mrs. Mary Lonbarger and Mrs. Oscar Lonbarger, both of near Pleasant Gap, were in town Saturday, and the Reporter was favored with a call from the latter.

W. R. Campbell, of Williamsport, will succeed Mr. Catherman as railroad agent at Spring Mills. He is a married man, and will move his family to that point.

Among the women's magazine none will be read with greater interest than the May D-lineator which appears with a varied and attractive table of contents. The news of the fashion world is reported in a number of special articles and the choicest of the season's dress productions are illustrated.

There is talk of having electric lights in Millheim, says the Journal, and adds: We hope the parties interested may receive enough encouragement to establish a plant. A paper is being circulated to see how many lights can be secured and if 500 are pledged the plant will be put in.

R. E. Catherman, who for a year or more has been station agent at Spring Mills, has been transferred by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to the telegraph department with headquarters at Williamsport. He left for his new position Saturday, and in a few months Mrs. Catherman will follow when they will begin housekeeping at that point.

From baker to farmer is the change made in business by William Rimmey, of Pleasant Gap, who with William T. Harrison about four years ago went into the baking business in Jersey Shore. Mr. Rimmey will conduct the farm and dairy for G. W. Buffington, near Jersey Shore, which farm is one of the most fertile and productive tracts along the river in that section. Mr. Harrison will continue in the baking business.

Andrew McNitt made his first trip to Centre Hall Saturday since he had the misfortune to break his leg, which accident happened last fall at the large saw mill of McNitt Brothers & Co., near Nittany. Although he is obliged to travel on crutches, he managed to see all his old friends and associates, all of whom were pleased to see him so far recovered from an accident that at one time was thought would cost him his limb.

Among the students in the various railroad stations along the Lewisburg & Tyrone railroad who are making rapid strides in advance is F. T. Ishler. Five months ago Mr. Ishler entered the Centre Hall station as a student, and with close application has become efficient as an operator. Last week he was called to Williamsport for examination, and having successfully passed the same was advanced from a student in telegraphy to head clerk under Station Agent W. Frank Bradford.

NEW HOTEL AT STATE.

Four Story Brick-cased Building to be Erected.

A new hotel at State College seems to be assured. The old livery barn is now being moved to its location on the alley at the rear of Wm. Hoy's residence and orders have been given by the Nittany Real Estate Company to begin the principal operations at once, says the Times.

The plans, which were drawn by Seymour and Paul Davis, of Philadelphia, call for the removal of the old building about sixty feet south on Allen street. In the space thus vacated a fine new four story brick building is to be erected. The old building is to be raised up several feet; the first story is to be given a higher ceiling; the walls are to be encased with brick, and, in fact, the structure is to be so built and remodeled as to be in entire harmony with the new portion and form an integral part of the block.

The lobby of the hotel is to be on Allen street. The second floor will be largely utilized for parlors, dining rooms, writing rooms and sample rooms. The parlors will open upon a commodious porch which will extend quite a distance along both Allen street and College avenue. The upper stories will be devoted to sleeping rooms and apartments—some of these rooms will be arranged with private baths. In such portions of the first floor as are not utilized for hotel purposes will be arranged five large, well-lighted and handsome store rooms. We are informed that the Secretary of the Company has at the present time more than a dozen applications for these rooms. Bowling alleys, a barber shop, and the establishment of The Nittany Printing and Publishing Company will occupy the basement of the building.

The brick to be used for the construction is of a beautifully mottled buff color and is manufactured in Orvis by the Hayes Run Fire Brick Company. The building will be lighted throughout by electricity and heated by steam. It is said that the total cost of the property will be about four thousand dollars.

Transfer of Real Estate.

Fred F. Smith, et. ux., to John G. Platt, April 22, 1903; 26-100 of an acre in Rush twp. $200.

Carrie M. Lee, et. bar., to Centre & Clearfield Street Railway Co., March 12, 1904, land in Rush twp. $2,500.

Alfred R. Lee, et. ux., to Mrs. Henrietta Dale, Feb. 25, 1905, 7,425 sq. ft. in Boalsburg. $1000.

Cyrus Gordon, et. ux., to Louise McMullen, et. al., Feb. 7, 1905, 41 acres, 116 perches in Walker twp. $2086.

A. S. Valentine, et. ux., et. al., to John F. Markle, May 9, 1902, lot in Benner twp. $125.

Daniel Hall, et. ux., to John A. Mattern, Feb. 4, 1905, 4 tracts in Union twp. $6200.

David Keller's exr., to P. H. Meyer, March 28, 1905, 100 acres, 148 perches in Potter twp. $4,000.

Mary Pacini, et. al., to Jos. F. Thal, March 11, 1905, house and lot in Bellefonte. $775.

Wm. R. From, et. ux., to John Woods, March 20, 1905, house and lot, ½ acre in Spring twp. $600.

Wm. R From, et. ux., to Magnus Duck, March 20, 1905, 4½ acres in Gregg twp. $1,000.

Aaronsburg.

Frank Detwiler went to Flemington to visit his daughter.

Bertha Hosterman is spending a week with her sister.

John Foster, mother and sister, spent Sunday at Spring Mills.

Mrs. Scott Stover and daughter spent Sunday with her son-in-law, Levi Wance.

Lyle Acker and Carrie Weaver have returned after spending a few months at State College.

Polly Stover has again returned to her own home after spending the winter with her brother Harvey.

Irvin Barner, Mrs. Annie Detwiler and Mrs. Sue Acker spent a day in Millheim with the latter's sister, Mrs. Maggie Musser.

Among those from a distance who attended the graduating exercises Friday evening were: Prof. C. L. Gramley, Luther Miller, Samuel Bierly, Annie Stover, Rebersburg; C. A. Weaver and two daughters, Edna and Ruth, Mrs. Leonore Burd, Coburn.

Harry Beir moved to Altoona; Henry Gilbert moved in where Beir's moved out; Gilert Eisenhauer into Zach. Thomas' house; Elias Bressler into his own home on North 2nd st.; George Fehl into the Bollinger home; Irvin Wance, of Ohio, into the home he bought from Mrs. Leitzel.

Even in the theatrical firmament all the stars are not fixed stars.

Some people are so mean that they won't even supply their neighbors with food for gossip.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

The promises of politicians are generally as transparent as their transparencies.

Every promoter has a scheme that will work wonders, but he prefers to work suckers.

The fellow who undertakes to break the automobile record should be prepared for the undertaker.

A. C. Alexander moved from Centre Hill to Milroy. He will be employed in the stone quarries at that place.

Probably the fellow who advanced the theory that conversation is a lost art never attended an afternoon whist.

Mrs. T. G. Wilson, accompanied by her two children Helen and Russel, went to Millheim Saturday to visit friends.

Before buying new or old harness, get prices from D. A. Boozer. The information will be worth the time necessary to inform yourself.

M. Jeff Hubler, who for some time conducted blacksmithing in Centre Hall, but now lives on one of the Reynolds farms near Bellefonte, was in town Saturday.

Ex-Judge John G. Love and George W. Zeigler, the latter of Philipsburg, have formed a special partnership for the practice of law. Their office will be in Philipsburg.

Wm. L. Runkle, of Pittsburg, was an arrival at Centre Hall, Saturday. He came here to take several horses to the Smoky City, purchased for the Knoxville Improvement Company, by his father, C. D. Runkle.

The goods handled by the Misses Geiss, Centre Hall, whose card is found elsewhere, include silk shirt waist suits, Japanese silk waists, and walking skirts. Prices are very reasonable considering style and quality.

Mrs. Rebecca Sparr is seriously ill at her home in Boalsburg. Sickness began with grip, complications of a peculiar nature following. Mrs. Cyrus Brungart, of this place, is assisting in taking care of her during the present week.

After trying his hand as a trolley conductor for a period of several months in Philadelphia, Edward Durst returned to his home near Centre Hall, middle of last week, and will stay on the farm with his father during the coming summer.

The first published ill effects of excessive rope jumping by children, for April, comes from Benton where the foolish pastime cost the life of a pretty and intelligent little girl. Rope jumping should be positively prohibited by parents. Little girls especially should be taught that the apparently innocent sport is the cause of much distress to the young girl and woman.

The Penns Valley Banking Company did a big day's work April 1st, which in connection with the legal business transacted by Mr. Mingle as justice of the peace, made the place have the appearance of a Wall street office. The business rush afforded Assistant Cashier Chas. D. Bartholomew an opportunity to show just how many customers he could wait on in a satisfactory way.

A gas explosion at the works of the American Steel Wire Company, Cleveland, Ohio, seriously burned Joseph Ruble, son of Mrs. Linnie Ruble, formerly of State College, but the young man has now almost recovered. He was superintendent of one of the large furnaces where the explosion occurred. The most serious injury was to his face, head and arms. Three others were injured at the same time.

Jeremiah Zettle has to his credit as a trapper a large number of animals caught along Penns Creek in the neighborhood of Paddy Mountain tunnel. The list runs thus: Twelve wild cats, eight foxes, eighteen 'coons, two otters, nine minks, eighteen skunks, two ermines, five weasels and thirty-seven musk rats. Mr. Zettle lives at Spring Mills, almost his entire time since the middle of January was spent in trapping at the point named. The time between October and January was devoted to trapping in Canada, but the heavy snows interferred with the work.

The boarding department of McAllister Hall will begin operations with the opening of the spring term of Pennsylvania State College. The local boarding house keepers and families who make the greater part of their living expenses, and there are not a few of them, by furnishing boarding and lodging for students, view the opening of the hall with no little degree of alarm, thinking that their revenue derived from this source will greatly be lessened. The college, however, was in need of the hall, as most of the students objected to being obliged to have to board and room at private [illegible].

LONG TOUR OF PRESIDENT

Leaves White House for a Vacation of Two Months.

EVERYTHING IS IN GOOD SHAPE.

Will Make Speeches in Sherman, Dallas and Other Points in Texas—Reunion of Rough Riders in San Antonia—Hunt in Colorado for Mountain Lions, Bears and Lynx—Return to Washington May 30.

Washington, D. C. (Special).—After Monday morning the White House will be quiet for probably two months. During that period the affairs of state requiring the attention of the President will receive his consideration wherever he may be on his journey through the Southwest. The length of his stay will depend upon the public business. At the present time everything is in good shape, and it is not believed the President will have to hurry back to the capital.

The following statement concerning the itinerary of the President was given out at the White House Sunday evening:

"The President will leave Washington Monday, April 3, at 9 A. M., over the Pennsylvania Railroad. He will be accompanied by Secretary Loeb, Dr. Alexander Lambert, Gen. S. B. M. Young, Lieut. G. R. Fortescue, Mr. M. C. Latta and Mr. J. L. McGrew, stenographers; Mr. Jackson S. Elliott, representing the Associated Press; Mr. J. G. G. Thompson, representing Publishers' and Scripps-McRae Press Associations; Mr. John E. Monk, representing New York Sun Press Association, and Mr. H. A. Strohmeyer, photographer.

"The first stop will be made at Louisville, Ky., at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning. The President and party will pass in procession through the city, and the President will make an address. The train will leave Louisville at 11 o'clock, pass through St. Louis at 8 P. M., and at that point take the Missouri, Kansas and Texas road for San Antonio. A few short stops will be made in the Indian Territory on Wednesday. At Sherman, Texas, where the party will arrive at 4 P. M., the President will leave the train, drive to the public square and make a brief address. Dallas will be reached at 6.30 P. M., and after a public address the President will attend a dinner.

"The next stop will be at Waco, on Thursday, April 6, at 9.30 A. M. The President will speak briefly at Waco. He will reach Austin at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, address the joint session of the Legislature at the Capitol, and later speak to the public on the lawn of the Capitol.

"The train will reach San Antonio at 8.30 P. M. Thursday, but there will be no public program until the following morning. The object of the President in visiting San Antonio is to attend the reunion of his regiment. Exercises have been arranged which will fill the entire day, including a review of the regular troops at Fort Sam Houston, a procession to which the Grand Army and Confederate Veterans will take part, luncheon at the Rough Riders' Camp and a dinner by the Business Men's Club at the Hotel Menger. The President will leave at 11 P. M. for Fort Worth, arriving there the next morning at 9.45 and leaving at 10.45. The program for Fort Worth will consist of a drive and an address.

"At Fort Worth the public part of the trip will end. The President will spend some days hunting in the Pan Handle of Texas and will then go to Colorado for a hunt of several weeks' duration.

"No plans have yet been made for the return trip to Washington.

All Ready for the Hunt.

Lawton, Okla. (Special).—Instructions have been received at Fort Sill to have a detachment of soldiers at Frederick, in the southern part of the county, by April 8, to guard the property of the Presidential hunting party. The car with the camping outfit is now in Frederick.

The plans for the President's hunt in Texas have been changed, and the Presidential party will cross Red River and hunt in the Big Indian Pasture. There is a tract of half a million acres here well stock with game. The outfit is in a car of the International and Great Northern Railway, and was shipped from Southern Texas, to which place the outfit had been sent when it was proposed to hunt for bear in the big thicket. The big thicket hunt has been abandoned.

Senator's House Robbed.

Kalamazoo, Mich., (Special).—It was discovered that thieves have ransacked the home in this city of Senator J. C. Burrows, who is still in Washington. The house was topsy-turvy from cellar to garret, with indications that the thieves held a high carnival during their visit. It is impossible to say how much was stolen.

Another Carnegie Gift.

Berea, O. (Special).—A gift of $24,000 has been received by Baldwin University from Andrew Carnegie toward the erection of a scientific building The gift is on condition that a like amount be secured from other sources. President Rogers has already secured $18,000.

Row at a Christening.

Latrobe, Pa. (Special).—A Slav christening ended in a tragedy at Jamison mine No. 2, four miles from Latrobe. Mike Kalifoski is dead and several other men are reported to be seriously injured. The festivities started at the home of John Boreko. The stock of liquor was nearly exhausted, and the question of an added supply, it is said, started a fight, which ended in a general riot. Kalifoski was shot through the lungs, dying almost instantly.

NEWS IN SHORT ORDER.

The Latest Happenings Condensed for Rapid Reading.

Domestic.

Robert J. Wynne, recently appointed American consul general in London, sailed for his post from New York on the steamer Philadelphia.

The cashier, assistant cashier and bookkeeper of the Citizens' Savings Bank of Lorrain, O., were held each in $8,000 bail for embezzlement.

J. Morgan Smith and his wife, arrested in Cincinnati, were arraigned and remanded on the charges made against them in New York.

The members of the House Rivers and Harbors Committee landed at New Orleans after a trip of inspection to Porto Rico.

The report of the New York State Board of Health shows that cerebrospinal meningitis is on the increase.

A local passenger train on the West Shore was derailed near Fort Plain, N. Y., and two trainmen killed.

William Marconi and Mrs. Marconi arrived in New York on the steamer Campania from Liverpool.

The enlisted men of the Army at Willetts Point presented a loving cup to Miss Helen Gould.

Fire caused a loss of $250,000 to the plant of the National Refining Company, in Cleveland, O.

Harry E. Miller and Capt. Gus Olender lost their lives in an attempt to explore Tiburon Island.

Both houses of the Nebraska legislature passed the Anti-trust Law aimed at the beef packers.

Alfred Gwynee Vanderbilt was held in $500 bail in New York for too speedy automobiling.

Alfred G. Vanderbilt is the latest victim to fall in the hands of the police for violation of the speed laws of New York. In a powerful automobile he led a bicycle policeman a hot chase for 13 blocks in Madison avenue, and would have escaped arrest then if his automobile had not become stuck in the mud. He was arrested and released on $200 bail.

Immigration in this country through the port of New York for the month of March reached unprecedented figures, the total arrivals numbering 97,000. Last year for the same month the arrivals were only 47,877.

The result of the investigation into the situation in the Kansas oil fields may be the basis of an action by the federal authorities against the Standard Oil Company.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie has extended financial aid to Norwich College, which is the state military college of Vermont, and to Drake University, at Des Moines, Ia.

At Malone, N. Y., Sumner Hazen, a bridegroom of a week, and John Hall, his brother-in-law, engaged in a duel, in which each fatally shot the other.

The bulg of the fortune of Mrs. Leland Stanford is bequeathed by her will to the Leland Stanford, Jr., University.

Wages of employes at the National Tube Company at McKeesport, Pa., will be increased.

Charles E. Metzinger, a Philadelphia publisher, committed suicide by shooting.

J. Morgan Smith, whose wife is a sister of Nan Patterson, was arrested in Cincinnati on State's Attorney Jerome's request, who wants him as a witness.

Charles Scott, aged 30 years, and Ray Scott, aged 19, of St. Charles, Mich., have been drowned in the marshes near that place while duckhunting.

The Barney Science Hall of Dennison University, at Granville, O., burned to the ground, entailing a loss of nearly $100,000.

Fireman Samuel Lillie was killed and several other firemen injured while at work on a fire in the New York Subway.

George H. Colket, president of the Huntingdon and Broad Top Railroad Company, died at his home, in Philadelphia.

A scheme of subways has been outlined for New York that would involve the expenditure of hundreds of millions.

Michael Novackovich, an Austrian laborer, was murdered in his sleep by his wife in Pittsburg.

A literary jubilee was held in New York in honor of Eleakum, the Yiddish poet.

Foreign.

A Hamburg court has decided that the $750 pearl found in her mouth by a woman who, accompanied by a man, was eating oysters at a restaurant, belongs not to her or to the restaurant proprietor, but to the man who paid for the oyster.

Henry White, the retiring secretary of the British Embassy, who has been appointed ambassador to Italy, and Mrs. White were the guests of the Prince and Princess of Wales at a farewell luncheon at the Marlborough House.

The Prince and Princess Arisugawa and suite left Tokio for Germany, and the Tokio press expressed the hope that their visit will increase the growing feeling of confidence and respect between the two countries.

Germany's policy toward Morocco is based upon an old treaty. France is desirous of having the United States take a sympathetic view of her policy.

It is reported that the Czar has become a fatalist, and that he, the Czarina and several court officials are dominated by occultists.

The Russian government has ordered 2,000 cars and 170 locomotives to increase the military equipment of the Trans-Siberian Railroad.

Dr. Roberts, an eminent French physician, says that inherited scrofula renders persons more liable to cerebrospinal meningitis.

The bridge over the Zambesi River, in South Africa, the highest in the world, has been completed.

The Shah of Persia will shortly arrive in France to take the water cure.

Emperor William, while at Tangier, had a cordial conference with the French Charge d'Affaires. The German ruler was given a cordial reception by the Sultan.

The terrorists are now known to have on their condemned list 30 persons, including Brand Duke Alexis and Governor General Trepoff.

More than 4,000 men, women and children are now prisoners in the concentration camps in German Southwest Africa.

GEN. OYAMA ADVANCES

Japanese Main Army Again Moves on Russians.

ACTIVITY EAST OF THE RAILROAD.

With Wings Far Extended, Mikado's Successful General Has Begun Heavy Reconnaissances Against Linevitch's Centre—Prospects That the War Will Continue to Drag On—Linevitch's New Chief of Staff.

St. Petersburg, (By Cable).—The latest news from the front indicates that Field Marshal Ovama has begun a genuine advance of his main army, with wings far extended.

Heavy reconnoissances are being made against the Russian centre, with the object of developing the Russian position.

A dispatch from General Linevitch says:

"There is no change in the situation. The enemy is displaying activity east of the railroad."

A telegram from Gun Shu Pass says General Linevitch has forbidden the inhabitants of Harbin, with the exception of the women and children to leave that place without special permits, fearing that the town may be denude of workmen.

Hopes of Peace Abandoned.

Paris, (By Cable).—Whatever hopefulness the peace situation may have had some days ago, the situation has now completely changed, and there is every prospect that the war will drag on again.

Consequently, dispatches appearing in America saying that Foreign Minister Delcasse and Dr. Motono, the Japanese Minister to France, have been conferring at the former's house relative to peace are inaccurate. The foregoing view of the situation is taken by the parties immediately concerned, and it is asserted with the authority of the Foreign Office and the Japanese Legation.

A correspondent has talked lengthily with Dr. Motono during the last few days, and the situation heretofore set forth in these dispatches reflected the view of Dr. Motono and others directly concerned, although with the usual reservation of not using their names. However, in view of the continued reports that there were indications that Minister Delcasse and Dr. Motono were taking an active part in the negotiations, the correspondent called at the Japanese Legation and requested Dr. Motono to furnish a decisive statement which would put at rest all misunderstanding.

Accordingly, the Minister gave the following statement, which was taken in writing, and may be accepted as clearing the situation:

"I tell you explicitly that there are no peace negotiations or preliminaries for initiating peace negotiations in progress at this time, so far as I am aware, and I believe my information to be complete.

"I am not desirous of discussing the general question of peace, for, owing to the complete absence of negotiations or preliminaries toward negotiations, that question can only be academic and without practical bearing.

"The statements that I have conferred with M. Delcasse at his residence are false, and are calculated to confuse a situation which is perfectly plain. There is no representative of Japan authorized at this time to discuss peace or foreshadow in the slightest what conditions the Japanese Government might consider if the negotiations assumed a practical stage. On the contrary, Japan is now engaged in conducting a military campaign, and she will resolutely proceed with that important work."

It can be added that the introduction of the foregoing dispatch, as well as the portion quoted, was submitted to Dr. Motono, who approved every word. It was similarly submitted to the Foreign Office, where it was approved throughout. Therefore the dispatch can be accepted as being in the highest degree authorative.

New Chief of Staff.

St. Petersburg, (By Cable).—It is officially announced that General Karkevitch has been appointed General Linevitch's chief of staff in place of General Sakharoff, who has been transferred to the Alexander committee for the care of the wounded. General Stakelberg has also been appointed a member of the same committee.

TEXAS TO WAR ON TRUSTS.

Will Probably Appropriate $15,000 For the Work.

Dallas, Texas, (Special).—Attorney-General Davidson desires to grapple with the Beef Trust in Texas and incidentally to fight all other trusts operating in the State. He has laid before the leading members of the Legislature a plan of campaign he is anxious to put into execution. He says that he receives great piles of letters daily from persons who are at the mercy of the trusts, asking why no relief is given to the people.

"We have laws enough to stop the work of these illegal combinations," said Mr. Davidson. "We don't need any more laws. What we need is money. If the Legislature will appropriate $15,000 for my department I will stop their operations in this State."

It has been practically agreed to incorporate the appropriation asked for in the general appropriation bill.

Millionaire to Go to Prison.

San Francisco, (Special).—Griffith J. Griffith, the Los Angeles millionaire who three years ago attempted to kill his wife, must spend two years in prison and pay a fine of $5,000, acording to the decision of the State Supreme Court, which has affirmed the sentence of the lower court. Griffith gave a park of 3,000 acres to Los Angeles and was named as Park Commissioner.

POLISH TOWN SHAKEN BY BOMB.

Police Commissioner's Feet Are Blown Off.

Lodz, Russian Poland (By Cable).—Police Commissioner Szabaloyicz, of the Second district, was seriously injured by a bomb which was thrown at him in the street.

The police commissioner had been summoned by telephone to come to the office of the chief of police, and started on foot, followed by a policeman. The former noticed at a street corner a poorly clad man carrying a basket.

As Szabalocicz approached, the man suddenly hurled a bomb, which exploded with terrific force, blowing off the commissioner's feet and severely wounding him in the breast. It is feared his injuries will prove fatal. The force of the explosion tore a hole in the ground two feet deep and 12 feet in circumference. The accompanying policeman drew his sword and wounded the commissioner's assailant on the head.

When the prisoner was searched a loaded revolver and cartridges were found. He is reported to be dying from the sword cuts received. The explosion was heard about five miles away. All the windows in the neighborhood were shattered.

People in adjoining houses were thrown to the floor. Szabaloviez is hated by the socialists. He is charged with killing a socialist during the disturbances here in December last. The commissioner is one of those marked for execution.

SOFT COAL MEN WILL NOT STRIKE.

Operators Decide to Grant Their Demands and Renew Last Year's Scale.

Philadelphia (Special).—By the action of the soft coal operators of Central Pennsylvania, who held a meeting here Saturday, the threatened strike of the bituminous miners has been averted. The operators, in secret session, decided to grant the demands of the men by renewing the wage scale in effect last year, the basis of which is 62 cents a ton for pick mining. A meeting of the joint scale committee of operators and miners will be held at Altoona Tuesday, when the schedule will be adopted. The United Mineworkers of America, fixed Wednesday, April 5, as the last day on which they would treat with their employers, announcing that a suspension of work would take place on that date if the operators failed to meet their demands.

The joint committee could not agree on a wage scale at the recent convention held in Altoona. The miners insisted upon a renewal of last year's schedule, while the operators proposed a reduction of 10 per cent. for the first half of the year, returning to the present scale at the end of that time.

When the convention adjourned without adopting a scale the operators were informed by the miners that work would be suspended unless a compromise should be effected in the meantime. The operators, however, showed a disposition to bring about an amicable adjustment.

All the big coal companies in the Central Pennsylvania district employing union miners were represented at the meeting.

TO PAY TABARD INN DEBTS.

Directors Vote to Issue Bonds to Meet All Claims.

Philadelphia, (Special).—The board of directors of the suspended Tabard Inn Corporations decided to issue bonds for the purpose of raising the necessary funds to pay off all outstanding claims. These bonds, which are to be offered to stockholders, are to be secured by the stock of some of the subordinate companies.

It was said by E. Clinton Rhoades, attorney for the companies, that the amount of the bonds would depend largely upon the way the shareholders take to the scheme, but that, at any rate, enough would be issued to furnish money to pay the debts of the Tabard Inn and Booklovers' libraries and the Booklovers' Magazine and also furnish working capital for the three enterprises.

Mr. Rhoades said that if the plan be successful it will extricate the companies in the hands of receivers from their difficulties. The book store which failed is a creditor of the libraries for books furnished, and the magazine is indebted to the Tabard Press for printing.

MISS ROOSEVELT TO WED?

Society Paper Names Senator Beveridge as Prospective Groom.

New York, (Special).—A New York society weekly prints the following:

"Miss Alice Roosevelt has surrendered her heart and promised her hand and now wears upon her left third finger the jeweled token of her marrriage engagement. The successful wooer is the eloquent 'Boy Orator of the Wabash,' Senator Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana, and the formal announcement of the betrothal will be made at Easter.

"President Roosevelt is more than pleased and has given the happy pair his paternal benediction.

"Senator Beveridge is a widower of 42. His first wife was Miss Katherine Langsdale, of Green Castle, Ind., who died in 1900. The Senator was a plowboy at 12, a railroad laborer at 14 and a logger and teamster at 15."

Pythians Give to McKinley Fund.

Richmond, Ind. (Special).—In an official bulletin just issued Charles E. Shively, of Richmond, supreme chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, announces that he has ordered the treasurer of the Knights of Pythias auxiliary of the McKinley National Memorial Association to pay the fund donated by the members of the order to the memorial association without any limitations or restrictions. The fund is in excess of $4,000.

WILL GUARD MONTE CRISTI

Three Warships Will Overawe Dominican Revolutionists.

MISSION OF DR. J. H. HOLLANDER.

Will Specially Investigate Improvement Company's Claim—Consultations Are Being Held Daily Between the President and Secretary of War Regarding the Agreement With Santo Domingo.

Washington, D. C., (Special).—Three warships will soon be frowning on Monte Cristi, the most revolutionary port in Santo Domingo. The cruisers Detroit and Yankee, the latter with 200 marines, are already there, and the Newark has sailed from Guantanamo for that port. If the revolutionists reported as landing there two days ago make any disturbances they are sure to feel the heavy hand of the American naval force. There is no secret of the Administration's attitude that a revolution against Morales now is a revolution against the United States.

Minister Dawson reports that the reason for unrest which is favorable to revolutionary propagandas is that the Dominicans have heard that the United States Senate entirely rejecter the fiscal protectorate pratocol. Minister Dawson, President Morales and the American officers are doing their best to make the people all over the little republic aware of the new arrangement.

The two men named by the United States to administer the customs of Santo Domingo are Dr. W. E. Gould, of Baltimore, and Col. G. R. Colton, of Nebraska, who is Collector of Customs at Iloilo, P. I. Dr. Gould was suggested by Prof. J. H. Hollander, of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, who is to make a report to President Roosevelt on conditions in Santo Domingo.

Consultations are being held daily between the President and Secretary of War Taft regarding the agreement between this country and Santo Domingo. The President belives, and has so expressed himself to many callers at the White House, that he has acted well within his executive power in concluding such an agreement with Santo Domingo. He believes that his attitude and actions will receive the support of the Senate. He also is now firmly convinced that, when the Senate convenes in extraordinary session next fall, the Santo Domingo treaty will be ratified.

Both the President and Secretary Taft are inclined to question the right of the Santo Domingo Improvement Company to receive the full amount of the $40,000 a month from the customs receipts of the ports set apart for them under the arbitral agreement of last year. Professor Hollander goes to Santo Domingo for the distinct purpose of investigating the claims of this company and also to examine carefully the fiscal affairs and prospects of the republic. His mission, it is explained at the War and State Departments, is radically different from that of Dr. Gould and Colonel Colton, who have been appointed to collect customs dues at Santo Domingo ports. Dr. Hollander is the agent of the United States Government and will report in detail the exact situation in the island.

The Italian Ambassador, Signor Mayor des Planches, was an early caller at the State Department for the purpose of ascertaining definitely the arrangements recently reached by United States Minister Dawson, at Santo Domingo, for the administration of customs of the island. After the matter had been explained to him by Acting Secretary of State Adee Ambassador Planches was satisfied and said he would advise his Government to agree to the proposition and await the action of the United States Senate on the treaty next session. This removes the last possible objection from foreign climates to the agreement.

MAY RECALL BOWEN.

Venezuelans Object to His Continuing There.

Washington, D. C., (Special).—There is renewed talk here of the recall of Herbert W. Bowen, United States Minister to Venezuela.

Dr. Jose de J. Paul, President Castro's special diplomatic agent, had an interview with President Roosevelt, at which the Venezuelan situation was discussed at some length. Dr. Paul assured the President that Venezuela was not looking for trouble, and intimated strongly that the only obstacle in the way of a happy settlement of the differences between that country and the United States was Mr. Bowen's presence in Venezuela as the representative of this country.

Dr. Paul had the same sort of heart-to-heart talk with Secretary Taft, Acting Secretary of State. Mr. Taft, it is understood, informed Dr. Paul that the United States would be pleased to remove any obstacle to a satisfactory settlement with Venezuela. That is taken to include Minister Bowen.

Fell Dead on Wedding Day.

Jamestown, N. Y., (Special).—Rev. Albert Lundberg of Scandia, Pa., who was here preparing for his marriage to Miss Hulda Fritz of this city, dropped dead. The wedding was to have been celebrated in the Mission Church in this city. Six hundred invitations had been issued. Mr. Lundberg spent the morning with others decorating the church. While eating luncheon he succumbed. Heart disease was the cause.

Murdered By His Wife.

Pittsburg, Pa., (Special). — Michael Novackovich, an Austrian laborer, was murdered at his home while he lay sleeping in bed in his room by his wife Annie. The crime was a brutal one, the woman using a hatchet. It was discovered an hour later by a boarder, who notified the police. The woman confessed. The cause assigned for the crime was revenge for ill treatment by the husband, who, it is alleged, insisted on his wife leading an immoral life.

LIVE WASHINGTON AFFAIRS.

The joint board of the army and navy officers has recommended the more thorough instruction of the army and navy cadets in the use of sword and of bayonet, while jiu-jitsu and boxing and wrestling are to be practiced. The President approves the recommendations.

Senato Elkins assured the President that the investigation of the railroad rate question by the committee of which he is chairman will continue during the President's absence in the Southewest.

Admiral Barker was placed on the retired list.

The President justifies the method of general appraisers taking evidence in private in the case of importers accused of undervaluing importations.

Consul General and Mrs. Robert J. Wynne left Washington for New York, where they will take the steamer for London.

In accordance with an act of Congress, the President has issued a proclamation inviting all the nations of the earth to be present at the Jamestown Exposition in 1907 by military organizations and naval vessels.

Vice President Fairbanks called at the White House and bade the President good-by prior to his return to his home, in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Roosevelt, accompanied by some of her children and relatives, may visit Jacksonville, Fla.

The President will leave Washington Monday morning on his Southern and Southwestern trip.

PANAMA CANAL COMMISSION OUT.

Their Resignations Requested and Furnished —Reorganization Now.

Washington, D. C., (Special).—The first practical step, having in view the reorganization of the Panama Canal Commission, was taken, when in compliance with instructions from President Roosevelt, Secretary Taft requested the members of the commission to tender their resignations.

This request was promptly complied with by those members of the commission now in Washington. The purport of Secretary Taft's letter, requesting the resignations of the commissioners, was sent to Major General George W. Davis, retired, of the Army, the governor of the canal zone and also one of the members of the commission, and a prompt answer is expected from him. As indicated in the letter of Secretary Taft the resignations are requested in order that the President may have a free hand in reorganizing the commission. That the President contemplated the reorganization of the commission has been known for sometime and he has been in frequent consultation with Secretary Taft as to his future policy in choosing its personnel and directing its work.

It was believed originally that better results might be accomplished by the appointment of a smaller commission than that now existing, but a recent opinion of Attorney General Moody held that under the law the President was required to name seven members in all. The appointments probably will be announced by the President during the progress of his Southern trip.

The members of the present commission in addition to General Davis are Rear Admiral John G. Walker, of the Navy, retired, chairman; William Barclay Parsons, William H. Burr, Benjamin M. Harrod and C. Ewald Grunsky.

Shot His Brother-in-Law.

Huntington, W. Va., (Special).—A shooting affray occurred at Little Ugly, Lincoln county, in which Tom Fry fatally shot his brother-in-law, Henon Smith. The trouble grew out of a game of cards, in which Lewis Fry, Fry's father, and Henon Smith, were engaged. A dispute arose and Smith threatened to kill his father-in-law. Young Fry took the matter up and shot Smith in the breast with a shotgun. Smith cannot recover. Lewis Fry, one of the participants, is a wealthy merchant and timber dealer, and is quite well known throughout West Virginia.

Secretary Hay's Trip.

Gibraltar, (By Cable).—The White Star Line steamer Cretic, from New York, March 18, for Naples, with Secretary of State Hay and Mrs. Hay on board, arrived here. In an interview Mr. Hay said he felt much better than when he left New York, He thoroughly enjoyed his trip. Although Secretary Hay has improved, he has by no means recovered his health. The Cretic will sail from here at noon for Algiers.

Rumor That Czar Attempted Suicide.

Paris, (By Cable).—An unconfirmed rumor from St. Petersburg is published here to the effect that Emperor Nicholas made an attempt to cimmit suicide, and wounded himself in the hand. The rumor further says that the Emperor's design was frustrated by the intervention of his mother, the Empress Dowager.

Five Drowned From Upset Boat.

St. Joseph, Mo., (Special).—Five men who were engaged in dyke-building operations on the Kansas side of the Missouri have been drowned. Rather than spend a stormy night in a shack on the Kansas bank of the river they determined to cross in a skiff. About midstream the overloaded boat was swamped by the high waves and all perished.

FINANCIAL.

Philadelphia bankers will be large subscribers to the Japanese bonds.

Reports of excellent wheat crop conditions come from all parts of the West.

For nine years the average price of steel rails in America has been $25.82 a ton. They are now $28 a ton.

Now that leading American bankers have $75,000,000 of Japanese bonds to sell there is an excellent incentive for them to preserve a good security market for a little while, at least.

The Open Life.

Are you livin' a life with th' blinds clear up
An, th' doors flung open wide?
Have you nothin' hid out in yer closets—eh?—
Where nobody sees inside?

If not, then you'd better spruce up a bit
An' h'ist up yer winders some,
An' open th' doors so th' sweatenin' sun
Can shine right into yer home.

Th' life that is hid is a dang'rous life;
Th' Tempter can sneak in, sly,
An' show y' his samples an' sow his seed—
A harvest'll come, bime-by.

Now maybe this reasonin's new to you—
Hain't knowed it myself fer long;
If ev'ry one knows what y're goin' t' do,
You shorely won't do much wrong.

—Baltimore American.

ONLY A LOAN.

By A. E. Anderson.

Nan Kendall held her pretty brown head on one side and critically examined the picture which she had just finished.

"Yes," she said, with a self-satisfied dimpling smile, "I think it will pass muster, mother, dear. Confess, now, that I managed those bits of sunlight and shade with the skill of an old master! And am I not represented 'as large as life,' only more so?"

'And what shall you call it, dear?" asked Mrs. Kendall, a fair, brown-haired widow, who looked very like her daughter.

"'Under the Lilacs,' I think. It doesn't look very modest, I suppose, to paint oneself, but, in the dearth of models, I was compelled to do so."

"As if a prettier model could be desired!" exclaimed Mrs. Kendall, with motherly pride.

"I shall go to London with it myself," said Nan, "and make—oh, ever so much money on it, mother dear! Then we shall have a new carpet, for this one, though almost hidden by rugs, is undeniably shabby. And I shall get my piano tuned, and buy those new waltzes Hetty spoke about last week, and—and I'm sure I don't know what else."

"Don't build too many air castles, Nannette," said her mother, warningly, "for you may be disappointed, after all."

But brave little Nannette's hopefulness was not dashed in the least; she had worked so long on this picture, and had been so painstaking. Surely in the great city, ten miles away, there must be someone who would admire and buy it.

Not quite a week later Mr. Curtis Van Tassels sauntered listlessly into one of the West End cafes toward dusk, and settled himself, with a dissatisfied sigh, at one of the numerous small tables, covered with whitest, softest damask, and glittering with silver.

Business had been unutterably dull during the past week, and Mr. Van Tassels' affairs had suffered more than a little. Hence his unwonted perturbation of mind.

So preoccupied was he that he did not notice he had a vis-a-vis till coffee and rolls had been brought him.

The cloud lifted suddenly from his handsome forehead, and he glanced with deep interest at the girl opposite him—Nannette Wendall herself. Curtis thought it was one of the most beautiful faces he had ever seen—exquisite in its modeling, perfect in its contour. Her eyes looked sad and disappointed, as if ready to drop tears.

Yes, Nan had met with a great disappointment. She had been unable to dispose of the picture round which her hopes had centered so long, and now she must return home even poorer than before.

She had walked about London all day, not quite despairing of success, until the approach of evening. Then, fearful lest her mother might be anxious, she had left the picture at a kindhearted print sellers, who had promised to sell it for her, if possible. She had decided to take the five o'clock train; but she had missed it, and now even her brave heart quailed a little at thought of riding home alone at night.

Faint for lack of food, she had entered the cafe, never dreaming she was guilty of extravagance unparalleled, as it was one of the most fashionable and expensive restaurants in the West End.

Her repast finished Nan put her hand into her pocket for her purse. The next moment she uttered an exclamation of terror and dismay.

Her purse and money were both gone!

Her waiter stood beside her with outstretched hand, a faint smile of incredulity on his smooth countenance. People who could not find their purses were by no means rare.

"But I have lost it!" faltered poor Nan, pale and trembling with terror and distress, "or else someone has stolen it from me—my purse, with a sovereign in it."

Curtis Van Tassels had heard every word. He looked at Nan critically, and at the same time sympathetically.

A brilliant idea came to him. Stooping down, quick as thought he abtsnarcted a sovereign from his own pocket.

Nan had not seen the action, but the quick-witted waiter had.

"I beg your pardon," Curtis said, quickly and courteously, "but I think this must be the missing coin. Doubtless you have taken it out of your purse, laid it beside your plate, and then forgotten it. Very lucky I chanced to look down."

"How can I ever thank you, sir?" Nan exclaimed, while the waiter gave Curtis a slight wink, and discreetly kept all knowledge of the little ruse to himself.

But a diligent search on Nan's part, aided by both the waiter and Van Tassels, brought no purse to light, and she was compelled to go home without it. How the money could be there and not the purse was a mystery she was unable to solve.

Only a day or two later Curtis was passing Harrison's picture shop when a painting in the window attracted his attention. Its execution was graceful and vigorous, but it was the central figure in it that he noticed. It was the very girl whom he had met at the cafe.

"I am a fool," he thought, as he entered and asked the price of the picture.

But for all that he bought it, paying twenty pounds for it, though Mr. Harrison thought that the artist would consider ten pounds a munificent sum.

"Very fine indeed," Mr. Harrison said, volubly, glad of a chance to make a bargain, even if it brought no money into his own pocket, "and a perfect likeness of the artist—Miss Kendall, sir. If she wasn't as poor as a church mouse the world would have heard of her long ago, I'll be bound."

Curtis thought so too, and wanted very much to know Miss Kendall's address, but he did not say so.

"My mother has long wished to have her portrait painted," he said, artfully, "but she wants it to be the work of a lady's brush. Do you think if I sent Miss Kendall a photograph she would copy an oil portrait from it?"

"She would be only too glad, Mr. Van Tassels," said Mr. Harrison, effusively, "and you couldn't get a lady better fitted for the work than she."

And Nan worked diligently and happily on her first order, never dreaming by what chain of circumstances the loss of her purse had brought all this good fortune.

She knew nothing about Mr. Van Tassels, except that he had purchased "Under the Lilacs" and was so pleased with it that he wanted his mother's portrait from the same brush.

"I hope he will like it," she said, on the very afternoon when Curtis Van Tassels was coming for the finished picture. "I have certainly done my best."

Mr. Van Tassels did like it, and he liked the little artist, too—so well that he came again and again on one pretext or another.

And before many months he had asked Nan Kendall to marry him, and she had answered "Yes."

"Nan," said Curtis, quizzically, one day, "did you ever lose a sovereign?"

Nan stared and laughed.

"What do you mean, Curtis," she said. "No; but I thought I did, last Spring."

"Thought you did!" Curtis exclaimed. "Why, didn't you really lost it?"

"Curtis, you are not the gentleman who——"

Nan stopped.

"Yes," nodded Curtis Van Tassels, with smiling lips.

"I have sometimes wondered where I had seen you before. Oh, it was monstrous of you to deceive me as you did. I don't think I can ever forgive you."

"Oh, yes, you can!" said Curtis, confidently. "But how do you know I ever deceived you?"

"Mr. Harrison sent me my purse the very next day, with the money intact. I had left it on one of his counters. I felt very angry with you then, and if I had known you I would have sent the money you gave me back at once."

"And now that you do know me, you are going to give yourself to me instead!" exclaimed Curtis, triumphantly. "It was only a loan, you see."—New York News.

BEEF OR TURKEY AS A FOOD.

Weight for Weight the Fowl is the More Nourishing.

Discussing the comparative food value of roast beef and turkey the Lancet says:

First, it may be said that weight for weight the flesh of the turkey is more nourishing than that of beef, but the latter is, generally speaking, cheaper than the former. The moisture in beef, however, exceeds the amount present in the flesh of the turkey and the latter contains a better percentage of proteid or flesh-forming substance. In either case the percentage of moisture is seldom less than 70 per cent. In lean beef the amount of fat is much the same as in a not too well-fed turkey, but it must be pointed out that the flesh of poultry differs from that of beef or mutton in not having its muscular fibres permeated by fat, and, moreover, the fibres in the flesh of the fowl are short and readily yield to the disintegrating action of the digestive processes. A large amount of fat in either case is apt to interfere with the digestibility of the meat. The fat of beef is more digestible than the fat of the turkey. The fat of birds, in fact, is harder and owing to its tendency to become rancid is unsuitable for the dyspeptic patient.

Perhaps the most important differences, however, from a dietetic point of view between beef and turkey is that whereas beef contains a high percentage of extractive matters turkey contains hardly any at all. The extractive matters in beef account largely for its peculiar and marked flavor, and owing to their absence in poultry generally and in the pheasant and partridge the flavor of these meats is delicate. But there is no doubt that the extractives of beef as well as of mutton are valuable, for not only are they flavoring agents but they also act as, perhaps, the most powerful stimulants to gastric digestion.

SOAP TREE OF ALGERIA.

Many Chemists Produce From it Articles for Toilet Purposes.

The Sapindus utilis or "soap tree" was introduced into Algeria in 1845. The soap tree in Algeria appears to be a hybrid and has characteristics quite different from those of any of the known varieties coming from India, Japan, China and Central America, and it is superior to all in general usefulness.

The Sapindus utilis is a large tree with a smooth, straight trunk. The plants reach to about ten feet in height in two years and begin to bear in six years. The berry is round, but with a distinct keel like that of a walnut encircling it. It is when fresh smooth, shiny and fleshy. When dried it is tough, gummy and translucid; the color varies from yellowish green to brown. In size it varies from about half an inch to an inch in diameter.

So far the cultivation of this tree in Algeria has been confined to the low-lying lands near the coast (the orange belt), but it is believed that it would endure a more severe climate. The only large plantation of these trees is that of M. Bertrand at his property of Boukandoura, about eighteen miles from Algiers, covering some hundred and fifty acres.

There are no important manufactures of soap tree products in Algeria. The entire product of the plantation referred to above went last year to Germany. A good deal of the fruit is employed in its natural state, and many chemists produce specialties from it, such as "saponine," an excellent washing powder; "sapindine," a reputed hair wash, and other articles for toilet purposes. Panama wood, which is extensively used in Europe for washing, contains on an average about 8 per cent of saponine, while the dried fruit of the soap tree contains fully 28 per cent.—Report of U. S. Consul Kidder, Algiers.

The Magnitism of a Sunshiny Nature.

Enthusiasm in life is the great generator of sunshine. Without a living interest in the busy world, and that sympathy of feeling which connects us with every other living being, we can not infuse any warmth into our manners, or bring others into sympathy with us. Helen Keller, whose sunshiny soul is as sensitive to impressions as a delicate flower is to atmosphere, in her "Story of My Life," writes: "The touch of a hand may seem as impertinence, while that of another is like a benediction. I have met people so empty of joy that, when I clasped their frosty finger tips, it seemed as if I were shaking hands with a northeast storm. Others there are whose fingers have sunbeams in them; their grasp warms my heart."

It is as natural for us to be attracted toward sunshiny natures as it is for flowers to turn toward the sun. In spite of a life of almost constant illness, Robert Louis Stevenson charmed all who came under his influence by his spontaneous cheerfulness and absolute freedom from all shadow of bitterness or repining. He found the keynote of each day in this simple prayer, born of his own inspiration: "The day returns and brings us the petty round of irritating concerns and duties. Help us to play the man, help us to perform them with laughter and kind faces, let cheerfulness abound with industry. Give us help to bo blithely on our business all this day, bring us to our resting beds weary and content and undishonored, and grant us in the end the gift of sleep."—Success.

Training the Left Hand.

It is one of the good signs of the times that the use of the left hand is coming into fashion in education. Our children, let us hope, are not to be forever crippled by being brought up "one-handed." We are learning at last the absurdity of allowing one of our hands to fall into practical disuse, and the excellent names behind the newly formed Ambidextral Culture Society give ground for hope that common sense may prevail on the subject and lead to the development of a two-handed instead of a one-handed race. The founder and secretary of the society, Mr. John Jackson, has embodied his philosopy in a highly interesting book on "Ambidexterity; or, Two-Handedness and Two-Brainedness," to which Major R. S. S. Baden Powell contributes an introduction. The Major, like the late Queen Victoria, can write with either hand and use the two hands interchangeably for any purpose. That of course is all that is demanded.—London Mail.

Fifteen million bunches of bananas were brought to the United States last year by one fruit company, which runs 83 steamers. They came chiefly from Cuba, Costa Rica, Jamaica and Honduras.

A CHAFING DISH HINT.

A new use for the chafing dish hot-water pan has been discovered. A clever woman who had no pudding dish fit to come to the table baked the pudding in a common porcelain dish and transferred it, dish and all, to the hot-water pan of her handsome copper chafing dish. The cover of the blazer went on over this, and the whole thing looked very well on the table at dessert.

REMOVING STAINS.

White linen or lawn that has been stained with coffee can be freshened by rubbing the spots with the yolk of an egg, to which has been added twenty drops of glycerine, stirred together. Rinse off with warm water.

Scorch stains on white goods may be removed by squeezing a lemon over the spot, sprinkling it with salt, and placing it where the direct rays of the sun will fall upon it.

When on delicately tinted cotton goods, sprinkle the spot thickly with cornstarch and place in the sun, covering every part of the goods with newspaper, except the part covered with cornstarch. There really should be no chance of scorch stains on tinted goods, and there is no excuse for using a hot iron, a flat iron that is merely warm being advised for ironing all colored garments.

THE ART OF FURNISHING.

Purple and green is one of the latest decorative schemes for bedrooms.

Chairs of East Indian rattan, hour-glass shape, so popular for porch use in warm weather, are to be quite as much seen in fashionable living rooms this winter.

Japanese and Indian cottons, in either old blue and white, or old blue and yellow, make both unusual and very attractive as well as inexpensive curtains.

In buying chairs it is well to bear in mind the rules laid down for the cabinetmakers themselves—simplicity, stability, strength, perfection of execution in harmony with its object, and, last but not least, beauty of outline.

While an entire absence of frieze, with just a molding in the angle of wall and ceiling, is correct at present, many people object to this as looking unfinished; so, as a compromise, a plain frieze a tone lighter than the side walls is used.

CARPETS IN THE LIVING ROOMS.

The writer of this article grew up on a bare oaken floor, his early years being spent upon an old-fashioned, back-woods puncheon floor—puncheons split from the trunks of large trees, the rougher places being chipped off with a broad-ax, but which had never been touched by saw or plane.

But I do not think this fact is responsible for my prejudice against a carpet on the floor of the living room. It is the dust, the filthy dust, the germ carrying, disease breeding dust, that will gather in the carpet, and that will fill the room every time a person passes through, no matter how lightly that person may walk.

If you do not like to see bare floors, linoleum, in its various figures, makes a cheap and tasty covering, and one that will not catch and hold the dust, and may be easily cleaned every day. But it is cold, almost always cold to the touch.

If you must have carpets, let us suggest a plan which we have never seen suggested—put them down in sections, and without stretching or fastening, in sections that may be lifted and shaken, dusted, every day or two, like rugs are treated.

We know the objection that will be urged, but if they be nicely fitted, there need not be so much annoyance in getting out of place as one would think. All will soon learn to step and to move things about the room so as not to disturb them.

RECIPES

Cherry Dumplings.—Roll out a layer of tea biscuit dough to a quarter of an inch in thickness, spread with butter and sprinkle with granulated sugar; then lay preserved cherries over it, roll and steam for one hour. This makes a very delicious dessert when served with a rich egg sauce.

Beefsteak Roll.—Have a steak weighing one and a half pounds cut very thin. Make a filling of one cupful of breadcrumbs, one-half teaspoonful of salt, two-thirds of a cupful of cold water and one well-beaten egg. Season the steak with a little salt and pepper, spread the dressing on it and roll up. Tie the roll to keep it in place. Now place four tablespoonfuls of fat salt pork in a frying pan and put it over the fire. Dredge the roll well with flour and put it in the hot fat. Cook until brown on all sides, then place it in the stewpan, with a little onion.

Add (to the sauce) one tablespoonful of flour and stir until a light brown, then gradually add two cupfuls of boiling water and stir until the sauce boils up. Strain this over the steak, cover the stewpan and let all simmer for three hours. When tender remove the strings and serve with the sauce.

The race of Todas, in India, which practices polyandry (one wife having two or more husbands), which was 100,000 strong a century ago, has dwindled to 101 persons.

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NEWSY GLEANINGS.

The postage rates are becoming one of the burning questions in Italy

Corrected figures show that the Tobacco Trust made $52,000,000 last year.

There is reported to be a marked increase in wages in Japan since the beginning of the war.

The Japanese Parliament has passed a bill denying the right of mining in Japan to foreigners.

Sweden and Norway are the only countries where practically every grown man can read and write.

In St. Louis, Mo., a servant broke $12 worth of dishes to obtain satisfaction for $3 worth of wages, and the Judge fined her $25.

A London dealer in such wares last year received from India the skins of 6000 birds of paradise to adorn the hats of the feather-wearing British women.

The president of the Automobile Syndicate estimates that about 100,000 persons (including 20,000 chauffeurs) are employed in the French automobile industry.

Experiments are being made in Charlottenberg, near Berlin, with a device for lighting and extinguishing all the street lamps simultaneously from the gas works.

Field Marshal Lord Roberts has unveiled in the Central Synagogue, London, a memorial to the Jewish soldiers who fell in the British army in the South African campaign.

On the occasion of the hundredth anniversary of the death of Schiller (May 9, 1905), the Swiss Government intends to give every pupil in the public schools a copy of that poet's play, "William Tell."

According to a decision rendered the other day by the Supreme Court of the United States, the various boards of health of the State of Massachusetts have the right to enforce compulsory vaccination to prevent the spread of smallpox.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

David Rankin, of Tarkio, Mo., is worth $1,000,000, all made by farming.

D. L. Bingham has been appointed librarian of Manchester, Mass., for his twenty-fourth year

Sir Walter Parratt, "master of the King's musick," at the British Court, is sixty-four years old.

The founder of popular Paris restaurants, M Pettau Duval, died recently at his splendid estate at Pontievy

Jonn W. Hutchinson, last of the famous band of singing Abolitionists, is still living at his home in Lynn, Mass.

Clarence H. Mackay, head of the big telegraph and cable system established by his father, is an enthusiast about all sports.

Herman Flacksmann, a poor rag-picker of Hanover, inherited $10,000 from an American uncle. When the money was paid over to him he dropped dead.

Colonel John Sobieski, of Los Angeles, Cal., is said to be the only direct descendant in the male line of the last native king save one of Poland, King John Sobieski

John Hollingshead, a famous London theatre manager, who died recently, is credited with the discovery of the collaborative genius of W. S. Gilbert and the late Sir Arthur Sullivan.

Colonel Lorenzo Alexis De Clairmont, chief of staff to President Cabrera, of Guatemala, and military dictator of that country was ticket-taker in Denver about a year ago

Henry M. Dellinger of Washington, D. C., hale and hearty at the age of eighty-three, fitted up the telegraph experiment station at Washington for Morse, the inventor of the telegraph.

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Harris Township.

Elmer Ross, of Lemont, was looking for horses.

W. A. Wagner, of Juniata, is visiting here.

Miss Maude Kimport spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. George Fisher and son Harold are visiting in Bellefonte.

A. E. Squire, of Philadelphia, was buying hay in this locality.

The wheat though small has a very healthy looking appearance.

Miss May Stover has gone to State College for an indefinite time.

Miss Sadie Keichline, of Pine Grove Mills, spent Sunday in Boalsburg.

Oliver Gibony, of Saulsburg, visited at the home of Dr. Kidder last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Beightol and Lloyd Tate were visitors from Snow Shoe.

James Glenn, who is home from college for his Easter vacation, visited here.

The public schools in this township will all be closed by the latter part of this week.

A number of citizens attended the J. Harris Hoy sale, at Rockview, on Saturday.

John Charles and son Grant are employed at Thompson's shingle mill, west of State College.

Mr. Smith, of Howard, a contractor of the Shingletown saw mill, moved to that town last week.

Messrs. George Fortney and Albert Gingerich were baling hay for farmers in Ferguson township.

D. J. Meyer and C. D. Runkle, of Centre Hall, were around among the farmers buying horses.

Mrs. Susan Wilson, of Milesburg, is spending some time with friends in Boalsburg and vicinity.

Ex-Sheriff W. A. Ishler, and H. Baumgardner, of Bellefonte, attended to business here last week.

Mrs. E. E. Brown is spending this week in Bellefonte at the home of Prothonotary A. B. Kimport.

Mr. Kramer, of Watsontown, an agent for the Deering Manufacturing Co., spent part of last week here.

Alfred Shuey, of Rockview, and Miss Annie Kaup, of Oak Hall, were guests at the home of J. A. Rupp on Sunday.

Mrs. F. J. Kimport, accompanied by her niece, Miss Helen Wagner, of Juniata, spent a day at her parental home at Fairbrook.

Mr. Wensel, a State College student, and Mrs. A. J. Lytle and daughter Bess, of near State College, attended services in Boalsburg, Sunday.

Miss Martha Miller and John Noll, of Pleasant Gap, were married at the Lutheran parsonage by Rev. J. I. Stonecypher, after which they took supper at the Boalsburg tavern.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Markle, of Buffalo Run; Edgar Keller and wife, of Pine Grove Mills, and Mrs. Laura Bricker and son Howard, of Boalsburg, attended the Koch moving last Thursday.

Master Harold Coxey has gone to spend the summer with G. W. Garbric, near State College, and his brother Roy to Dal. Smetzler's, at Pleasant Gap, at which places they will be engaged in useful employment.

Ex-Sheriff Cyrus Brungart and wife, of Centre Hall, spent Sunday here. Mrs. Brungart and Mrs. Moyer, of Brush Valley, are caring for their aunt, Mrs. Rebecca Sparr, who is sick from a complication of diseases.

S. M. Bell built an addition to his house, and Carpenter James Poorman is at work on a new porch at the residence of Wm. Myers. The house occupied by J. A. Rupp, the property of the S. H. Stover heirs, has also been reroofed.

Now that the sales and movings are over, the weather favorable and the soil in good condition the farmers are busily engaged sowing clover seed, plowing and making other needed preparations for putting out the spring crops.

The foreign missionary service held in the Reformed church Sunday evening was interesting and instructive. The methods used by the missionaries for christianizing the people of Japan and China, and the results of their labors were explained in a short address by the pastor, Rev. A. A. Black.

Among those who attended the funeral of Miss Nannie Stover, Saturday were: Frank Stover, wife and son Samuel and daughter Lulu, Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Musser, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Musser and Mrs. Weaver, of Altoona; Samuel Kaup, of Renovo; Rev. and Mrs. Holloway, Hiram Fetteroff and wife, John Fisher and family, Sadie, Sara and Alvin Stover, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Ida Gorman, of Williamsport; Clement Fortney, wife and daughter, of Tusseyville.

W. H. Fry, of Ferguson township, whose name is announced as a candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner, is a battle-scarred veteran of the civil war. For quite a number of years he has been engaged in the arduous work of a veterinary surgeon, traveling over Centre, Blair and Huntingdon counties, responding to every call, either day or night, regardless of weather (although he did occasionally upset in a snowbank.) He has lately been commissioned a colonel by the grand commander of the G. A. R. of Pennsylvania. Honor to whom honor is due.

The funeral of McClellan Mothersbaugh, whose death at Renovo was mentioned last week, took place at Reading last Friday morning. Services were held at his home at Renovo the preceding evening. Those who accompanied the funeral train to Reading, besides his wife, were Owen Mothersbaugh, of Boalsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Glenn, of the Branch; David Rhinesmith, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Sarah Hartswick, of Altoona; Dr. Hersey Mothersbaugh and wife, of Beech Creek; and Miss Amanda Mothersbaugh, of Sunbury. Reading was the former home of his wife, who was Miss Mary Thomas. He was buried by the side of her parents, in the Thomas burial lot. The deceased had made his home with his brother, Owen Mothersbaugh, of Boalsburg, for a number of years, during which time he connected with the Reformed church at that place.

Millheim.

Mrs. T. R. Buck, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. D. L. Zerby, returned to her home in Berwick.

Harry Smith, who has been working at Lewistown for the past three years, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith.

Mrs. Jerome Spigelmeyer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Bassler, at Freeburg.

S. R. King moved out of the Musser House Saturday, and since then it has not been occupied. This is the first time this hotel has been vacant in forty years.

Ellis S. Shaffer has accepted a position with I. A. Shawver at the National Hotel and will remain there for some time.

Thursday of last week, R. J. Smith moved to his fathers farm, west of town, vacated by Samuel Ream.

Miss Verna Confer left Tuesday for Pittsburg where she will spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Robert Foote.

George Tobias, Wednesday morning, went to Reading at which place he has secured employment.

Mrs. P. B. Brenemen went to Bellefonte Wednesday to transact business.

Spring Mills.

From last week.

Rev. Snyder, the new pastor of the United Evangelical church, arrived last week. He preached his first sermon last Sunday evening, to a large audience.

Miss Bertha Duck is home from New York, visiting her parents.

Bruce Gramley is home, paying his parents a week's visit between terms.

M. Shires is home this week, superintending the moving of his household goods to Long avenue.

John Lloyd and family narrowly escaped being asphyxiated by coal gas, one night last week.

Quite a number of removals and changes were made in this village last week. Although dwellings were scarce, all managed to locate satisfactorily.

All the schools closed last week.

W. P. Alexander, an employe in Allison's mills for many years, moved with his family to Yeagertown, last week. All were sorry to have Mr. Alexander leave, as he was a good citizen.

D. E. Gentzel, veterinary surgeon, has placed a very conspicious sign above his office entrance. As a veterinarian Mr. Gentzel is quite an authority.

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LOCALS.

But one marriage license this week.

The rain Tuesday night had a magic effect on the wheat and grass.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Breon Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Mary Neff offers her house and lot in Centre Hall at public sale. See advertisement in another column. W. A. Sandoe is agent.

Montgomery & Company, the Bellefonte clothiers, advertise Easter Holiday goods in this issue of the Reporter. The clothing sold by this firm is strictly up-to-date, no second-hand or old styles will be found on their counters.

Insurance Agent Frederick K. Foster, Misses Jen and Ann Harris, of Bellefonte, and Langdon Odiorde, of Philadelphia, drove from the former place to Penns Cave, Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Foster stopped at the Reporter office long enough to renew his advertisement for another year.

Among the Reporter callers from a distance, last week was William A. Wagner, who with Mrs. Wagner and children came to Centre county to visit for a few days. Mr. Wagner is in the wholesale grocery store of Fay, Hutchinson & Co., Altoona, having been with that company for the past three years.

When moving to town Tuesday, Henry Stoner revived the old-fashioned moving, and brought with him about seventy-five of his good neighbors from about Tusseyville to assist him—they made quite a frolic of the affair. In the party was the venerable John Stoner, of Millheim, president of the Millheim Banking Company.

Friday of last week one of the heaviest storms of snow and hail in the history of the state of California swept over the orange belt, extending from Los Angeles on the west to the mountains east of Riverside and San Barnardine. Hundreds of children, who had never seen snow except on the tops of the distant mountains, reveled in it.

Marriage Licenses.

Morris W. Hazel, Bellefonte.
Josephene Willard, Altoona.

Smith, the Photographer.

W. W. Smith, the Photographer, will be in Centre Hall this week.

Novelties.

Novelties in Japanese napkins, crepe paper rolls, pebbled passe-partout picture frame binding will be found at the Reporter office.

Also, the latest novelties in ladies' stationery—very pretty, and very cheap.

Sober.

W. W. Jamison and wife, of Renovo, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Sarah Jamison.

J. J. Kern and sons went to Patton, where they will be employed as painters.

Wm. Immel made a business trip to Lewisburg.

J. E Ebert is working for C. K. Sober.

Smith and Shessley's saw mill is running full blast.

Sunday school at Beaver Dam opened last Sunday with a good attendance.

George Hettinger moved on J. R. Bible's farm, near Sprucetown.

Colyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Duncan and children, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday at the home of John Emerick.

T. F. Farner, of Philadelphia, made his parents a brief visit last week.

Miss Annie Lingle and friend, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lingle.

Miss Bessie Cooney has gone to the home of Calvin Ruhl, near Centre Hall, for the summer.

Mrs. George Bitner is on the sick list. Aunt Julia Ishler is also ill.

John Bedlyon moved his household goods from the Brisbin house in with Wm. Lee.

Auction at Meiss' store Saturday night.

Linden Hall.

T. C. Heims, of Osceola, spent a few days here, last week, transacting business.

Mrs. Mary Stem, Thursday moved into Mrs. Ross' house, and John Harshbarger moved into the one he purchased recently from Mrs. Stem.

Charles Fisher is confined to bed, suffering from an attack of grip.

Mrs. Eliza Campbell and Miss Elmira Goheen are both slightly better.

Mrs. Sarah Stine, of Annville, was called to the bedside of her aged mother who has been seriously ill.

John Coble, Monday, moved to Mrs. Harris' farm house.

Mrs. Claudia Bressler and children arrived Saturday and will spend a few days with her brother.

Mrs. J. H. Weibly is in Watsontown visiting her sister.

A. E. Zeigler is back in J. H. Ross' store, after a two weeks' absence.

A sick Indian is never a well-read man.

DEATHS.

JOSEPH BITNER.

The death of Joseph Bitner occurred at his home at Spring Church, Armstrong county, Thursday of last week, aged about thirty-five or forty years. Death came rather sudden, and was due to a stroke of apoplexy. Interment was made Saturday.

The deceased was formerly a resident of Potter township, being a son of the late John Bitner, Sr., of Tusseyville. He was twice married, both wives, however, preceded him to the beyond. Two daughters, one of whom was recently married, survive.

The following brothers and sisters also survive: John, deceased; Samuel and George, Potters Mills; Mrs. Thomas J. Frederick, Spring Church; Mrs. John Lee and Mrs. Daniel Foringer, Tusseyville; Christian, Manhattan, Ill.

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Note from Iowa.

Samuel Condo, of Birmingham, Iowa, writes the Reporter under date of April 3: The winter just passed was the coldest experienced in twenty years. Roads are in good condition, and farming is progressing—oats is being sown and the ground is being plowed for corn. I am anticipating a visit to the east this summer.

About Rheumatism.

There are few diseases that inflict more torture than rheumatism and there is probably no disease for which such a varied and useless lot of remedies have been suggested. To say that it can be cured is, therefore, a bold statement to make, but Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which enjoys an extensive sale, has met with great success in the treatment of this disease. One application of Pain Balm will relieve the pain, and hundreds of sufferers have testified to permanent cures by its use. Why suffer when Pain Balm affords such quick relief and costs but a trifle? For sale by C. W. Swartz, Tusseyville; F. A. Carson, Potters Mills.

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TERMS of sale—One-half cash on day of sale, balance on delivery of deed.
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Manufacturer of and Dealer in
HIGH GRADE . . .
MONUMENTAL WORK
in all kinds of
Marble AND Granite.
Don't fail to get my prices.

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A fine line of Ladies' Stationery, in boxes, at remarkably low figures. You will find all grades, and quality.

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All sizes of Envelopes, for business men, from the ordinary 6-inch to 12-inch.

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We are now offering for the Easter Holidays the finest selection of CLOTHING, HATS, NECK-WEAR, Hosiery, Etc., that can be collected together.

Clothing from B. Kuppenheimer & Co.

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And all other goods from first hand, and best in their lines.

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Suits made to order from $15 up.

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Great Auction Sale
Saturday Evening, at Six O'Clock
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Chairs, Rocking Chairs, Coal Oil Stove, Gasoline Stove, Wood Box, Window Screens, Corn Brooms, Etc.
UNDERWEAR
Underwear for Men, Women and Children.
BLANKETS, GLOVES, ETC.
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Lot of Straw Hats for Men, Boys and Children. Also, lot of Summer Caps.
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A complete Beautifully Decorated Dinner Set. Also, one and two gallon Jugs.
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Rye	60	Wheat	1 05
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JAYNE'S TONIC VERMIFUGE

Build up your Health and Strength
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A pleasant, potent and permanent invigorator for WOMEN, CHILDREN and MEN.

INCIDENTS OF 1869.

Local Items Taken from the Centre Reporter of Interest to 1905 Readers.

Southside jurors for the January term of court, 1869: Gregg, John Grove, Jr., Jacob Showers. Penn, R. Hartman, C. Held. Haines, Jacob Hosterman, S. Rote. Harris, Michael Hess, S. Wilson, Jr., George Swabb, J. Mitchell. Miles, Andrew Ocker, S. S. Wolf, H. Strohecker, Jacob Hazel, Jonathan Kreamer, Jacob Berkhart, James Stover. Penn, Peter Keen, Jacob Sankey, David Hosterman. Potter, John Riber, John Wolf, John K. Runkle, George Odenkirk, Joseph Potter, J. Sweetwood, G. B. Jordan. Haines, H. Feidler, Jacob Condo. Penn, Michael Kerstetter.

The issue of January 8th, 1869, publishes the marriage notices of

W. P. Shoop and Mrs. Mary Wix.
D. L. Kerr and Miss Sallie Spangler.
Simon Ruble and Miss Ellen Lee.

January 29: A peculiar accident is noted. Adam Krumrine's team ran off at Fisher's Penn Hall store, plunging the tongue of the sled almost through a horse belonging to Dr. Van Valzah. With the horse fastened to the end of the tongue the runaway team dashed on for twenty rods.

Wheat was quoted at $1.60 to $1.90, rye $1.32 to $1.60, corn 86 to 88.

February 12: S. G. Shannon enters the theological seminary at Selinsgrove to prepare for the ministry.

Married: Cyrus Goss and Miss Alfarata Fisher.

March 5: Records the death of Speer Gilliland.

The dwelling house of Israel Condo was partially destroyed by fire.

Wagon Passed Over Young Man.

Hile, the oldest son of George Dunklebarger, of Pleasant Gap, met with rather a serious accident Tuesday morning. The day previous he had gone to Frank Lee's, near Nigh Bank, to work on the farm, and the first work to be done was hauling manure. The young man was passing through the lane with the team when in some way he fell from the wagon, one of the wheels of which passed over his abdomen. Dr. Lee was called, and reports that while there were no bones broken, the internal injuries are of such a character as to make the outcome very uncertain.

Fertilizers for Sale.

Messrs. J. H. & S. E. Weber announce that they will have during the season fertilizers of all grades, and prices as low as any. The prices are based on the analysis of the goods. They invite you to call to see them before buying.

LOCALS.

Now for the easter bonnet.

The trout season opens April 15.

March went out like a dear little lamb.

Treasurer Phil. D. Foster is erecting another double house at State College.

Harry Buck, son of Rev. Buck, a student in the senior class in Myerstown College, visited his sister, Mrs. F. P. Geary, in this place.

State College borough finally passed an ordinance giving The Bellefonte Traction Company permission to build a trolley line through its domains.

Paul Stiffler, step-son of R. D. Killian, returned to Avon, New York, Saturday of last week. The family lived at that place before coming to Centre Hall.

John Meyer, of Bellefonte, succeeds W. P. Alexander as miller in Allison brothers mills at Spring Mills. Mr. Meyer, for the past five or more years, has been a brakeman on the local frieght train.

The first trip John Lawyers made to Centre Hall since his recent illness was Saturday morning of last week, at which time he brought his daughter, Mrs. Anna Hemphill, to the railroad station to take the train for Philadelphia, her home.

Samuel S. Kaup, of Renovo, was at Boalsburg, his old home, last week, having come to Centre county to attend the funeral of his aunt, Miss Nannie Stover. Mr. Kaup is engaged in the shops of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company at Renovo.

Last week William Bradford moved to Vilas, Lycoming county, and will be engaged in the E. Wentz roller flouring mills. Mr. Bradford had been living at Pine Grove Mills, where he was similarly engaged. Before going to his new home he stopped at Centre Hall for a few days.

George Breon, who is doing the farm work for S. W. Smith, began planting potatoes Friday of last week. He will plant six acres. Mr. Breon is one of the beginners on the farm, and is starting out in a way that leads one to think that he has the secret of putting the polish on a team right in his hand.

The outsiders who invested with the Storey Cotton Company are not entitled to sympathy on account of the good money lost by them. The investor who expects a foreign company to earn fabulous dividends for his money must know that to accomplish it some one must be skinned. Because the promoters saw fit to skin their patrons is no just reason for complaint—they should be willing to take their turn.

LOCALS.

Frank Shutt, who was injured some time ago, is able to be on the streets again.

Mrs. Lucy Henney announces her millinery opening for April 13th and 14th.

Miss Margaret Furey, of Bellefonte, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. King, in this place.

Why buy old, wornout harness at new harness prices? Get prices from D. A. Boozer.

Daniel Bradford went west Monday morning. His objective point was northern Illinois.

The water in the West Branch of the Susquehanna River, at Lock Haven, is at low water mark.

Capt. W. H. Fry has been commissioned colonel by the commander of the Grand Army Republic of Pennsylvania.

John Knarr went to Youngstown, Ohio, Monday where he will engage with Edward Foreman, a first-class mechanic.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boal moved from the farm to Tusseyville, and will leave the farming to the younger generation.

Smith Brothers, of Spring Mills, passed through Centre Hall Tuesday bound for Bellefonte with two loads of furniture.

Mrs. A. E. Kerlin, of this place, for several days was the guest of friends and relatives on the South side of Potter township.

A little daughter, "Dorothy Virginia," arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Hall, of Elkins, W. Va., Saturday, March 11th.

W. C. Krader purchased the store of George B. Shaffer, at Coburn. Mr. Krader had formerly been in the mercantile business at that point.

Frank Wion, of near Bellefonte, was in town Monday and purchased a splendid team of horses from Richard Brooks, tenant on the farm of Capt. G. M. Boal.

John Rossman, a student at Linden Hall station, is assisting Agent W. Bradford, in this place, during the temporary absence in West Virginia, of F. T. Ishler.

Mrs. Caroline Lamade, mother of the publishers of the Pennsylvania Grit, died in Williamsport. She was born in Baden, Germany.

The ladies of the United Evangelical church will hold an Easter festival in the basement of their church Saturday evening, 22nd inst., at which ice cream, cake and colored eggs will be sold.

The North American, in its Monday edition, gave a portrait of the Walker Township High School graduates. John S. Hosterman, of this place, is the principal. The class had a membership of eleven.

R. J. Gibbs, of Milesburg, had a stroke of paralysis the other Saturday. He recovered enough to attend a funeral the following Monday, but suffered a second stroke and since then has been unable to walk.

Rearick Brothers are advertising furniture in this issue at prices that are below that which you would expect, considering the class of goods offered. If you are in need of furniture, call on them before buying.

Mrs. W. H. Schuyler and Mrs. W. Frank Bradford attended a missionary convention of the Presbyterian church held in Philipsburg, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. They represented the Centre Hall society.

The summer term of the Centre Hall High School opens Monday, 17th inst. Mr. Gramley has proven himself an efficient teacher during the winter term which should be sufficient evidence to warrant parents to send their children to him during the summer months.

Samuel Slack, of Potters Mills, was in town Tuesday. He is making arrangements to begin farming, his son J. W. Slack, to have charge of the same. The latter for the past few years has been employed in the car shops in Altoona, but decided that a change in work would be beneficial to him.

Landlord J. W. Runkle has the grass plat in front of the hotel in the pink of condition and has set out a large number of canna and caladium bulbs. Mr. Runkle has shown marked taste as a landscape-gardner. There are others in Centre Hall who could much improve their properties by following the example of Mr. Runkle.

Misses Gretchen and Maude Sechrist, daughters of Rev. J. R. Sechrist, came to the parental roof last week. The former is a seamstress and lives in Lock Haven to which place she returned Wednesday. The latter just completed teaching a term of public school near Berwick, and will remain here for the present. She is a graduate of the Lock Haven Normal School.

B. F. Homan, of Oak Hall Station, Pa., is always ready and pleased to wait on persons interested in the National Cream Separator. This machine, while retaining its former good principles, is now improved. It is low down. It is acknowledged as the leading separator, in simplicity, fewness of parts, ease in turning and washing, and best of all, endurance and closeness in skimming.

THE LEGISLATURE

Bills Introduced or Passed by House or Senate.

Work of the Legislature of local interest is appended:

BILLS PASSED SENATE FINALLY.

Providing for the repair and maintenance by the proper county, city or borough of turnpikes heretofore or hereafter appropriated or condemned, or any part thereof for public use free of tolls.

House bill authorizing policemen to hold the office of constable.

Appropriating $200,000 for the encouragement and support of township high schools.

Providing that School Directors be paid $2 a day and mileage for attending county school conventions.

Authorizing boroughs to pay a salary to the Chief Burgess.

Providing that secretaries of school boards shall be elected within twenty days after the organization of such boards.

BILLS PASSED FINALLY IN HOUSE.

Appropriating $20,000 for a monument for Senator Quay, to be erected on the capital park.

Good for State.

The Senate passed finally the bill appropriating $247,456 to State College.

Magnus Duck Buys a Home.

Magnus Duck, the Spring Mills tinner, purchased the house and lot, east of the railroad station, from William R. From and will occupy the same. The price paid was $1000.

Will Install Steam Power.

Preparations are being made to install steam power in the Centre Hall Roller Flouring Mills. Since the large additions of machinery have been made the gasoline engine has proven altogether deficient in power. The Webers will not be contented until the plant is first-class in every particular. The mill now turns out the best flour that can be manufactured, and the same may be said of the chop mill.

Mrs. Calvin Ruhl Goes to Hospital.

Mrs. Ruhl, wife of Calvin Ruhl, who lives on the large Colyer farm on the Spring Mills pike east of Centre Hall, Saturday morning of last week went to the Williamsport Hospital where she was treated for disorders peculiar to female sex.

An operation was performed Sunday afternoon, and is thought to have been entirely successful. She will be obliged to remain at the hospital for a week or more.

Mrs. Ruhl was accompanied by Mrs. Ellen Miller.

LOCALS.

Rawhide whips, 20 cents, sweat pads for heavy work, 25 cents.—D.A. Boozer.

Col. J. L. Spangler and party returned from a tour in foreign countries. They landed in New York Tuesday morning.

Harry Harper is now employed at Wilmerding, near Pittsburg, to which place he has moved and will begin housekeeping. Mrs. Harper went to that place Wednesday of last week. Success to them.

W. H. Kuhn, of Jersey Shore, made his annual visit to Centre county this week, stopping for several days with his daughter, Mrs. S. W. Smith. Before coming here he spent several days in Philipsburg, also with a daughter, Mrs. L. Ray Morgan.

Saturday afternoon the commencement exercises of the Williamson Industrial Training Institution of Philadelphia was held. In the class of forty-four young men was Ralph C. Boozer, son of D. A. Boozer, of Centre Hall. Isaac E. Clothier, president of the school, and John Wanamaker addressed the class, and Mr. Boozer, who was an honor man, responded in behalf of the graduates. In Sunday's issue, the North American speaks in congratulatory terms of his address. Mr. Boozer has secured a position with the Pennsylvania railroad company, in Altoona, as an electrical engineer, and will go there within the next week.

Ayer's

Your doctor will tell you that thin, pale, weak, nervous children become strong and well by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Small doses, for a few days.

Sarsaparilla

The change is very prompt and very marked. Ask your doctor why it is. He has our formula and will explain.

"When 12 years old, for many months no one thought I could live because of this blood. But, in a few weeks, Ayer's Sarsaparilla completely restored me to health."
MRS. E. BUCKMINSTER, Vineland, N. J.

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The Children

Biliousness, constipation prevent recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

D. A. BOOZER
...SADDLER...
CENTRE HALL, PA.

Before you buy, take a look through the only completely stocked Harness Shop in Penns Valley. You can see anything in the Harness line. The goods and prices can not be beaten. . . .

HARNESS

We always have in stock a full and complete line of Harness, both for heavy and light use, hand and factory made. Also, collars, bridles, lines, tie straps, halters, rings, buckles, etc. In fact, everything needed in the saddelry line

A FEW PRICES

Raw Hide Whips	20 Cts.
Heavy Draught Collars	$1.00 and up
Brown and White Sweat Pads for Heavy Work	25 Cts.
Heavy Wooden Hames	50c, 75c, $1.00
Harness Oil	60c per Gallon
Trace Chains	70 Cts.
Buggy Harness	$9.00

BLANKETS AND ROBES

A little late in the season, but you can have Blankets and Robes at cost, which warrants buying now.

Stock Food—The best on the market, 5 Cents per Lb.

A Full Line of Dr. Daniels' Remedies. . . .

BEFORE MAKING YOUR PURCHASE call to see me, look over the stock and get prices.

NEW
Spring Goods

We have just received a lot of New Spring Good—DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, CARPETS, ETC.

JOHNSON BROS.
QUEENSWARE

Dinner Sets, Tea Sets and Toilet Sets all in best white fancy ware.

Come and see.

H. F. ROSSMAN
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Kreamer & Son

All the Staple Goods

Will be found at our Store, and the prices on these as well as on all other goods are marked and sold at the lowest possible figure.

Groceries, including the various breakfast foods, crackers, biscuits, coffee substitutes, etc., are offered in variety.

Rubber Goods, Felts, Working Shirts, Overalls, Shoes for all, etc.

We will be pleased to have at least a portion of your trade. We will aim to use you fair.

F. E. WIELAND
Linden Hall, Pa.

Is Selling the WOLFE BROS. Shoes for Ladies and Children--the best $1.50 Shoe on the market.

Full Line FREED BROS. Shoes

Also, MEN'S PLOW SHOES, and BOYS' HEAVY SHOES.

A lot of Fine Shoes for Girls and Boys, and a complete line of light weight RUBBER GOODS. He asks you to inspect his stock before making your Spring Purchase.

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WHITE LILLY FLOUR
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The Highest Market Prices will be paid for all kinds of Grain—Wheat, Corn, Oats, Barley, Rye, Buckwheat.

Baled Hay and Straw will be bought at all times, at the best prices the market will afford.

COAL All sizes of Coal, the best Grades of Coal to be had, always on hand. We invite school boards to consult with us before placing orders for fuel.

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Built to Your Order in Our Own Factory

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$50.00 Buggy for $36.50

We are going to build one thousand Made-to-Order Buggies If you want one you must do business at once. Send 50 cents and tell us how you want it built. Be very plain, as we cannot make changes after your order is placed with the factory. We will get the material ready, the gears built, the wheels painted, the body finished and polished, except the last coat of varnish, the top and curtains fitted—everything, in fact, except the trimming and the final finishing coat. **Ten days before you want it shipped, which must be before April 1, 1905,** send $36.50 more and we will finish and ship you the nicest buggy for the money that you ever looked at. **One thousand orders only.**

The Reason for this Liberal Offer Most factories either close or run with only a few men during the winter. We want to keep our large force busy all the time, so make this exceptional offer.

Remember, we can only build the 1,000, as our factory must then take up our heavy spring work. **We build and sell more high-class vehicles than any other factory in America selling direct to the users.**

How do you want it built?

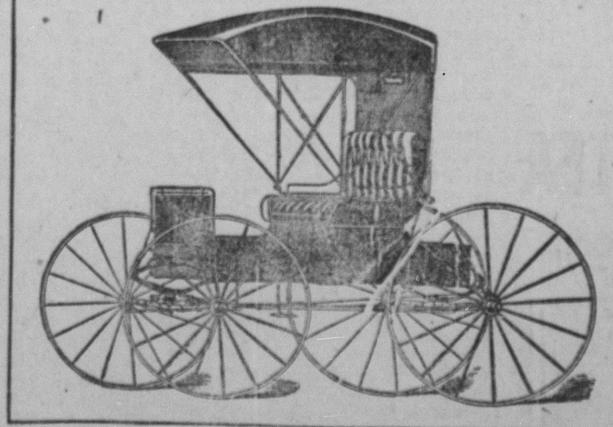
Body Piano box or Corning style? 22x54 in. or 24x54 in.? State which. It will be the same grade of body we use on our $46.00 buggy.

Gear End spring (like cut) or Bressler? State which—if you do not, we will send end spring. Gear will have a 1 5-16 in. high-grade axle and highest grade oil-tempered springs made. Arch or dropped axle?

Wheels Do you want 38 and 42-in. or 40 and 44-in.? These will be Sarven patent, selected hickory, ¼-in. tread and ¼-in. tire, **regular stock.**

Top 3 or 4 bow—which do you want? It will have leather quarters, and well made in every way, with heavy rubber side and back curtains.

Painting Be very careful to state what you want. We will paint your choice either a nice, dark green or New York red. **Body,** a plain ebony black, or black with striping, or mottled green. Our painting and decorating is **all done by hand—no dipping,** which insures a uniformly even, fine finish.



Trimming An extra quality of dark green Union body cloth or whipcord or Kersatol leather. State which you want. The work is done by the highest class of mechanics we can secure. Spring seat and back—the best.

Furnishings Leather dash; boot, with springs; rubber storm apron, carpet; trimmed all-hickory shafts; wrench and nail-cutters. Every thing complete. Nicely packed with dust-bag, and guaranteed to arrive safely. You could not duplicate elsewhere for less than $50.00.

Our Guarantee

FAR MORE liberal than any "Free Trial" or "Slip for Inspection" offer ever made. It is very plain, and made to protect you. The substance is a Guarantee of Satisfaction.

We Know What's Under the Paint It was for this reason that we made an investment of over $100,000.00 in a plant of our own. We availed ourselves of every facility known to the business for making good work and making it just as economically as we can. We buy the materials ourselves. We had the factory located near us so we could be intimately connected with the building of our work and know exactly what we are getting. Paint can cover a multitude of defects and does do it where work is built for profit only.

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We did not go into the manufacture of vehicles to help out the general catalogue business. We started out to build not an average buggy, but to make ideal work and to furnish it to our customers at as low a price as it is possible to sell good work.

I have not been in the buggy business forty years; I have been in it, however, long enough to know a good buggy from a poor one.

I attend to the buying of materials in our factory; I know what the labor costs; and when any concern offers you the same kind of a vehicle that we illustrate and describe at a less price than ours, there is something wrong with it; I will stake my reputation upon the truthfulness of that statement.

I have visited nearly every factory in the Central West; I have examined the materials that they use; I have bought and torn apart their finished work, and I want to say to you that this firm is giving their trade better wheels, stronger gears, better bodies, and a more elegant and lasting finish for the money, than any other factory in this country.

The dealer's price on any of the buggies in our catalogue would be from one-fourth to one-third more than ours.

All of our work is well-proportioned, and there is a style about it that you find on the work that is ordinarily sold for twice the amount we ask.

I am ready to prove any of these statements by shipping any one of our jobs to any customer, and if it is not what I say it is, you may return it at my expense and I will pay freight both ways.

—F. L. SHAW, Manager Vehicle Factory—

Free Vehicle Catalogue If you do not have a copy, send for it at once. We have different styles and kinds of vehicles, with prices from $19.95 for a cart, to $150.00 for a surrey. If you want a job that will only last a few months, we do not sell you—we absolutely refuse to have such material in our factory. We put in strictly good work, vehicles that will give you good, long, satisfactory service.

Do It Now Send your order in at once. The 50c first remittance is merely an evidence of good faith. Be careful to say just what you want. We will secure the best freight rate possible for you. It will, however, be a small matter when it is you do not buy until you see our Vehicle Book, which shows our complete line of high-grade vehicles. **Job must be shipped before April 1, 1905.**

What Others Say "I know I have saved $40.00 by buying from you." "My buggy far exceeds my expectations." "Our dealer wanted $66.00 for exactly the same as your $42.00 job." "I have just sold the buggy I bought of you three years ago for $35.00; only paid $27.50 new." No. 2

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TRAINS LEAVE MONTANDON, EASTWARD

7.38 A. M.—Train 64. Week days for Sunbury Harrisburg, arriving at Philadelphia, 11.48 a. m. New York 2.03 p. m., Baltimore 12.15 p. m., Washington 1.20 p. m. Parlor car and passenger coach to Philadelphia.

9.22 A. M.—Train 30. Daily for Sunbury Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Harrisburg and intermediate stations. Week days, for Scranton, Hazelton, and Pottsville. Philadelphia, New York Baltimore, Washington. Through passenger coaches to Philadelphia.

1.28 P. M.—Train 12. Week days for Sunbury Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazelton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6.23 p. m., New York, 9.30 p. m. Baltimore, 6.00 p. m., Washington at 7.15 p. m Parlor car through to Philadelphia, and passenger coaches to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

4.45 P. M.—Train 32. Week days for Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazelton, Pottsville, and daily for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10.47 p. m., New York 3.53 a. m Baltimore 9.48 p. m. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

8.10 P. M.—Train 6. Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg, and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.25 a. m., New York at 7.13 a. m. Baltimore, 2.20 a. m., Washington, 3.30 a. m Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleepers undisturbed until 7.30 a. m

WESTWARD.

5.33 A. M.—Train 3. (Daily) For Erie, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and intermediate stations, with passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester. Week days for DuBois Bellefonte and Pittsburg. On Sundays only Pullman sleeper to Philadelphia.

10.00 A. M.—Train 31. (Daily) For Lock Haven and intermediate stations, and week days for Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pittsburg and the West, with through cars to Tyrone.

1.31 P. M.—Train 61. Week days for Kane, Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pittsburg, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester, and Parlor car to Philadelphia.

5.36 P. M.—Train 1. Week days for Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

10.07 P. M.—Train 67. Week days for Williamsport and intermediate stations. Through Parlor Car and Passenger Coach for Philadelphia.

9.10 P. M.—Train 921. Sunday only, for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD.

Week Days.

WESTWARD. P.M.	A.M.	STATIONS.	A.M.	EASTWARD P.M.
1 38	5 40	Montandon	9 15	4 35
1 48	6 30	Lewisburg	9 05	4 25
1 55	6 38	Biehl	8 58	4 15
2 00	6 42	Vicksburg	8 53	4 14
2 08	6 50	Mifflinburg	8 45	4 06
2 20	7 02	Millmont	8 33	3 54
2 28	7 09	Glen Iron	8 26	3 46
2 59	7 40	Paddy Mountain	8 00	3 16
3 10	7 50	Coburn	7 50	3 10
3 16	7 57	Zerby	7 43	3 02
3 25	8 05	Rising Springs	7 35	2 54
3 32	8 11	Penn Cave	7 28	2 48
3 38	8 18	Centre Hall	7 22	2 41
3 45	8 24	Gregg	7 17	2 36
3 52	8 31	Linden Hall	7 10	2 30
3 56	8 35	Oak Hall	7 06	2 25
4 00	8 39	Lemont	7 02	2 21
4 04	8 43	Dale Summit	6 57	2 17
4 13	8 52	Pleasant Gap	6 48	2 08
4 16	8 55	Axemann	6 45	2 05
4 20	9 00	Bellefonte	6 40	2 00

Additional trains leave Lewisburg for Montandon at 5.20 a. m., 7.25 a. m. 9.45 a. m., 1.15, 5.2[illegible] and 7.55 p. m., returning leave Montandon for Lewisburg at 7.40, 9.27 a. m. 10.03 a. m., 4.50, 5.40 p. m. and 8.12 p. m.

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CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA

Condensed Time Table. Week Days.

Read Down. No. 1	No3	No5	Stations	Read Up. No6	No4	No2
A.M.	P M	P M	Lv. Ar.	P M	P M	A M
7 10	2 30	6 40	BELLEFONTE	9 20	5 10	9 40
7 21	2 41	6 51	Nigh	9 07	4 57	9 27
7 26	2 46	6 56	Zion	9 01	4 51	9 21
7 33	2 53	7 03	Hecla Park	8 55	4 45	9 15
7 35	2 55	7 05	Dunkles	8 53	4 42	9 13
7 39	2 59	7 09	HUBLERSBURG	8 49	4 38	9 09
7 43	3 03	7 14	Snydertown	8 46	4 34	9 05
7 45	3 05	7 16	Nittany	8 44	4 31	9 02
7 47	3 07	7 19	Huston	8 42	4 28	9 00
7 51	3 11	7 23	LAMAR	8 39	4 25	8 57
7 53	3 13	7 25	Clintondale	8 36	4 22	8 54
7 57	3 17	7 29	Krider's Spring	8 32	4 18	8 51
8 01	3 21	7 33	Mackeyville	8 28	4 13	8 46
8 07	3 27	7 39	Cedar Springs	8 22	4 07	8 40
8 10	3 30	7 42	Salona	8 20	4 05	8 38
8 15	3 35	7 47	MILL HALL	8 15	4 00	8 33

(N. Y. Central and Hudson River R. R.)

11 45		8 38	Jersey Shore	3 16		7 50
12 20		9 10	Arr. W'msport Lve	2 40		7 20
12 29		11 30	Lve. W'msport Arr.	2 25		6 50

(Philad. & Reading Ry.)

7 30		6 50	PHILA	8 36	11	30
10 40		9 02	NEW YORK	4 30	7	30

(Via Philad.)

P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M
10 40		Ar New York Lv.	4 00	

(Via Tamaqua)

J. W. GEPHART, General Superintendent

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD,

Week Days.

EASTWARD. 6	4	2	STATIONS.	1	3	WESTWARD 5
PM.	P. M	AM	Ar. Lv.	AM	AM	PM
6 30	2 25	8 50	Bellefonte	6 30	10 30	4 00
6 15	2 10	8 40	Coleville	6 35	10 37	4 07
6 12	2 07	8 37	Morris	6 38	10 42	4 10
6 08	2 02	8 35	Stevens	6 43	10 47	4 15
6 05	1 55	8 31	Hunters	6 46	10 51	4 18
6 03	1 51	8 28	Fillmore	6 50	10 56	4 21
5 59	1 45	8 24	Briarly	6 55	11 02	4 25
5 55	1 40	8 20	Waddles	7 00	11 05	4 28
5 37	1 22	8 07	Krumrine	7 12	11 20	4 40
5 30	1 15	8 00	State College	7 25	11 35	4 45
5 10		7 45	Struble	7 27		4 50
5 05		7 40	Bloomsdorf	7 31		4 55
5 00		7 35	Pine Grove Cro.	7 35		5 00

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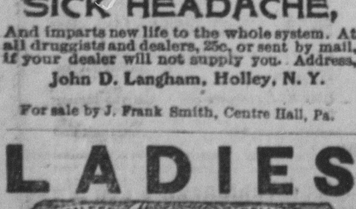

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FARM AND GARDEN

MULCHING ORCHARDS.

Much discussion has been held in recent years in regard to the different methods of treating orchards. At the meeting of the Michigan Horticultural Society Professor Green advocated a grass mulch. He cited orchards of successful growers in Ohio and New York that had followed the grass mulch method for a number of years and had found that it was more satisfactory to them than the cultural method. The method is to allow the space between the trees to grow up to grass and clip it with scythe or mowing machine as often as it seems necessary and leave the cut grass to lay on the ground forming a mulch. The ground under the trees is covered with some straw or any mulching material. This prevents the trees coming in direct contact with the grass. In a hilly section of southern Ohio one grower found that he could afford to buy straw for $8 per ton, draw it over the hills eight miles and cover his entire orchard, as the ground was so poor he could not start grass. The professor believes that it will pay any grower to buy $5 and $6 per ton straw for mulching the orchard.

If one is contemplating following this method he would do well to set the field while in sod, for if hilly the sod will prevent washing, the soil in grass constantly grows richer if none of the grass is drawn off and it adds humus and increases the water holding capacity of the soil. One would do better not to crop the field given over to the planting of the young orchard, as it takes from the soil plant food which will be needed later on by the trees themselves. Then the crops are of minor importance except for the first few years; after that the shade of the trees makes the crop so small that the trouble is scarcely worth while. Cultivation, too, burns up the humus.

The advantages of the grass mulch as enumerated by Professor Green are that it conserves moisture; shades the soil and thus makes it richer (this is due to the action of certain bacteria which cannot work in light); saves labor; easier to get orchard started; grow trees with lower heads because it is unnecessary to drive under them; this makes picking easier, prevents wind from having so good a chance to blow them down and saves apples from bruising so badly when they fall from the trees, as they do not fall so far. Trees seem to grow as well and better than in cultivated soils. Examples were given of young trees in orchards where the grass method was practiced, showing that the growth was as vigorous as it ought to be. In the five orchards of the Ohio station the grass mulch proved to influence a much better growth than the adjoining orchards receiving cultivation. Trees 16 years old, set 32 feet apart, had tops that would touch either side of a buggy driven between the rows. These orchards bear better than the cultivated ones, often earlier—Northern Spy trees bearing at seven years of age, and more regularly. In dry seasons the grass mulch conserves moisture better. The apples hang on the trees longer and when stored keep better.

ONION CULTURE.

More attention is being paid to onion culture each year. The crop, if properly managed and under good conditions, is usually quite profitable. The soil should be moist and rich; fresh, clean land is preferred because of the less difficulty in keeping it clear of weeds, which are the chief drawbacks in growing this crop. Good preparation of the crop is essential. The ground should be deeply broken and thoroughly pulverized, but cultivation which should be frequent should be shallow. Although hand work is more slow and laborious than with the horse, it is found to be most profitable with onions. It is a very great saving, of growing onions in quantity to start with seed; sets are expensive. The seed should be sown as early as the ground can be put in good condition, and it has been found the most successful plan to sow first in seed beds. A bed 20 to 25 feet will start seed enough for an acre, if drilled in rows only 4 or 5 inches apart. The seed should be covered only half an inch deep, and unless rain comes frequently the beds must be sprinkled twice a week. When the onions are six inches high they may be transplanted to the field, in rows 12 inches apart, the plants 4 inches apart in the rows. Clip off the roots and tips before setting; this makes the work of transplanting easier and does not check the growth. Experiments show that it pays well to take this care in starting the young plants. Then they must be worked with scuffle hoe at once and constantly till out of the way of the weeds, and that may not be till they are ready for gathering. If weeds appear in the rows they must be pulled out by hand, even if you have to kneel to get at them. But this careful, painstaking work pays with the onion for it often yields 400 bushels to the acre, and sells at an average of $1 retail.

Four pounds of seed are enough for any acre if started in a seed bed as described. If sets are wanted, instead of onions, 50 or 60 pounds of seed are required; some growers use 75 pounds, and the seed costs from 60c. to 75c. a pound. The sets sell at from $3 to $4 a bushel, and, as from 300 to 500 bushels can be grown upon an acre of good land, it is quite a profitable, though a laborious business. But do not undertake too much at first. One experienced grower says that one-quarter of an acre is plenty to begin with, especially if the land is at all weedy.

Many of the statements here given are in reply to queries made by one who intends going into the business of onion growing for the market.—Indiana Farmer.

SECRET OF DANISH BUTTER MAKING.

Denmark exports large quantities of butter which finds ready sale at good prices, most of it going to England.

The following from the Farm Journal, shows the pains they take to ensure an equally good quality at all times.

The Danes love their cows and give them every comfort; and the cows, not to be outdone in devotion, do their very best. All the stables I visited were fireproof, had concrete floors, and there was water so arranged that everything could be washed.

Each stall had a tablet with the name of the cow, date of birth, pedigree, etc. There was also a slate on which a daily record was kept.

If a cow is sick she is at once separated from the other animals and taken to the hospital. It is a crime in Denmark to use or sell milk from a sick cow.

The milking is done by women who are not allowed to wear sleeves below the elbow. They wear white linen caps and aprons, and must not only wash the bag of the cow, but also wash their own hands before milking, each time.

Everything fed the cow is prepared with great care—the quality and quantity is known as nearly as possible in the pastures every weed is pulled and the cow is not permitted to eat anything that will in any way taint the milk.

The cream is cerefully Pasteurized.

In short, the secret of Danish butter-making is perfect cleanliness and eternal vigilance, but the result is a product that will go through the tropics or the circumpolar region and come out standing up.

IMPORTANT WORK.

Mating is the most important work of the year, as the quality of next year's stock depends largely upon the judgment of the persons who mate up the pens. Not alone are the standard requirements to be considered, but also the health, vigor and productiveness of the fowls to be mated. A poor comb, bad plumage, discolored legs and other bad marks of a breeding bird is almost sure to be transmitted to the chicks.

DAIRY HINTS.

The quality of milk a cow yields is born with her; the quantity, however, is influenced by the feed and care.

No cow should be condemned as a poor and unprofitable one until she has been fed up to her full capacity as a milk yielder.

Adapt breed to purpose. There is but little money in milking "butter" cows and selling the milk in competition with a herd producing a large flow of common quality.

TO KILL POULTRY.

The best mode of killing poultry, as it causes instant death with pain or disfigurement, is to suspend the birds by trying their legs firmly to a pole at a convenient distance from the floor, and to open the beak and, with a sharp-pointed, narrow-bladed knife, make an incision at the back of the roof, which will divide the vertebra and cause immediate death.

FEEDING CALVES.

A safe rule in feeding calves is to give just what they will lick up clean—and no more. It is the little more than is needed that does the mischief. If just enough is given the calf the bucket, or trough, will be licked clean. If a little is left too much has been given. With the growing calf it is best to err on the side of giving too little rather than of giving too much.

At the Minstrels.

"What," asked Mr. Gilfithers, the eminent end-man; "what is the difference between a phrenologist and a man who runs in the dark?"

"I give it up," said Mr. Golsizzle, the other eminent end-man; for they were cutting the show short that evening in order to catch an early train to the next one-night stand.

"One knows the bumps and the other bumps the nose," explained Mr. Gilfithers.

Before the audience could reason it out Mr. Alphonse Rambollo, the celebrated counter-tenor, was half way through his touching ballad, "I Never Cut No Ice With Her Until I Learned to Skate."—Judge.

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Mrs. Mable Bradford, 13 Church street, Burlington, Vt., Secretary Whittier Oratorio Society, writes:

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Followed by a Lioness.

While a lady and gentleman were proceeding by ricksha from Salisbury to Ardbennie on a recent Sunday evening they were considerably alarmed by seeing, soon after crossing the railway, a lioness cross their path some twenty-five yards ahead of them.

Being taken so much by surprise, they failed to check the boys, and proceeded on their journey. Shortly afterward they found the beast about ten yards in the bush on one side of them, and she proceeded thus for over a mile and a half. Fortunately, owing to the dirty and slippery condition of the roads, the boys' attention was confined to their work of impelling the vehicle in their charge, and they did not perceive the lioness.

It was thought that the very bright light which the boys were carrying kept the animal at a safe distance.—South Africa.

Police Bar.

In a certain Russian town the police have been obliged, according to a correspondent, to confiscate every typewriter in the place. These machines are said to be regarded in Russia as dangerous organs of sedition. They are convenient instruments for the dissemination of literature of which the government does not approve. So every typewriter is registered, its address is known to the police and it is liable to be arrested on suspicion at any moment.

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A Big Egg.

A. D. Wilbur, of this village, had a Cochin hen that for several days had been laying double-yolk eggs. Finally she laid one seven inches around by nine inches lengthwise, and weighing five ounces. Wilbur supposed it to be another double-yolk, but found on opening it that the outer shell contained only the white, while inside was another perfectly round egg with a hard shell, which contained the yolk. Poultry papers say this is the largest egg ever known.—Catskill (N. Y.) Cor. New York World.

Dog Went 300 Miles Alone.

The remarkable attachment for its home place is shown in the case of Carlo, a fine water spaniel belonging to James Dingman, who several week ago left Stoud, O. T., for Idaho. Carlo was tied in one of the cars with the stock.

He stood the trip for 300 miles, but the desire to get back to the old home place evidently grew upon him. Mr. Dingman thought it was safe to untie the dog, but no sooner had the animal been loosed than it jumped out of the car and made a bee liner for Stroud. It never stopped until it had traveled the whole 300 miles, and reached home almost starved.—Kansas City Times.

Sewing With the Tongue.

The Medizinische Wochenschrift reports a curious case of a girl. When 6 years old she suffered from a severe brain disease, which left her limbs paralyzed. Her tongue, however, remained flexible, and this organ she began to train. She gradually acquired a certain facility in writing and embroidering. She would take ends of thread in her mouth and knot them. With scissors fastened in her mouth she cut out dolls' dresses, and sticking a needle into the table in front of her, could thread it. Her embroidery was quite wonderful. Her tongue, while retaining its usual breadth, increased in length, so that she could easily touch the tip of her nose with its point. She died recently.

Women are more truthful than men, but occasionally you meet a woman who says she doesn't want to get married.

Hash is the ghost of a square meal.

They Compromised.

"Will you be my wife, Guenivere?"

"No, Charles. I think far too much of you for that. I still want your friendship. Let me be your stenographer. That is the only way in which I can submit to man's dictation."—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune

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Who Owns the Railroads?

H. T. Newcomb, of the District of Columbia Bar, has compiled statistics showing that 5,174,718 depositors in savings banks of six Eastern States are directly interested in the joint ownership of $442,354,086 of steam railroad securities, that insurance companies doing business in Massachusetts hold $845,889,038 of steam railroad stocks and bonds, and 74 educational institutions depend on $47,468,327 invested in similar securities for a portion of their income. Other fiduciary institutions own enough railroad securities to bring such holdings up to more than a billion and a half dollars, about one-sixth of the entire capital invested in railroad property. These investments represent the savings of the masses, there being twenty million holders of life insurance policies in the country, as many more of fire insurance policies, and an even greater number of depositors in banking and trust institutions, where investments are largely in railroad securities.

Errors Made by Geologists.

The construction of the great Simplon tunnel has proved once more that geology is largely a matter of theories which may or may not fit actual conditions, even close to the surface of the earth. The engineers have discovered that the geologists were entirely at fault as to the temperature which would be encountered, missing the mark 25 degrees at the point where hot water was found. The water conditions in general were unlike those predicted, and the engineers found that the dips in the rock strata, which had been declared on theory to be mainly vertical, were, in fact, horizontal.

John Morley on Golf.

Mr. John Morley addressed a meeting of his constituents in Montrose the other night, and at the close a "heckler" rose and said:

"I wish to ask the right honorable gentleman an important question."

The audience was all attention.

"I wish to ask Mr. Morley why he does not play golf." Mr. Morley, however, was equal to the occasion. "Golf!" he exclaimed: "Oh! I don't think I'm old enough to begin that yet."—Dundee People's Friend.

TRIPLE PLAYS ARE RARE.

But Two Men Have Pulled Them Off Unassisted.

A triple play is one of the rare things in baseball, because it requires a combination of circumstances which seldom occur. There must be at least two men on the bases, and no one out. Then the next batter must hit the ball in a certain way, or the chance for a triple is lost. In addition to this, the fielding must be perfect and fast. But two triple plays, made by one man unassisted, have ever been recorded. One was the famous play of Paul Hines way back in the early '80s. The other is fresh in the mind, although it was made in a minor league.

In 1901 Harry O'Hagan was playing first base for Columbus, in the Western association. Tin canned, he went East to Newark, and the day after he donned a New Jersey uniform he pulled off the play that made him famous. With men on first and second and, of course, nobody out, O'Hagan was playing close to the bag, when the next batter hit a liner directly into his hands. The force of the ball was enough to knock him back so that his foot touched the first sack, retiring the runner, who was off the base. O'Hagan, turning to throw to second, saw that the runner there had started at the crack of the bat and was nearly to third. So, instead of throwing the ball, he sprinted to second base with it in his hand, arriving in time to put the third man out on the play.

Last season the Kansas City club of the American association made two triple plays in one game at Toledo.

CHILDREN AFFECTED

By Mother's Food and Drink.

Many babies have been launched into life with constitutions weakened by disease taken in with their mother's milk. Mothers cannot be too careful as to the food they use while nursing their babes. The experience of a Kansas City mother is a case in point:

"I was a great coffee drinker from a child, and thought I could not eat a meal without it. But I found at last it was doing me harm. For years I had been troubled with dizziness, spots before my eyes and pain in my heart, to which was added, two years ago, a chronic sour stomach. The baby was born seven months ago, and almost from the beginning it, too, suffered from sour stomach. She was taking it from me!

"In my distress I consulted a friend of more experience than mine, and she told me to quit coffee, that coffee did not make good milk; I have since ascertained that it really dries up the milk.

"So I quit coffee, and tried tea and at last cocoa. But they did not agree with me. Then I turned to Postum Coffee with the happiest results. It proved to be the very thing I needed. It not only agreed perfectly with baby and myself, but it increased the flow of my milk. My husband then quit coffee and used Postum, quickly got well of the dyspepsia with which he had been troubled. I no longer suffer from the dizziness, blind spells, pain in my heart or sour stomach. Postum has cured them.

"Now we all drink Postum from my husband to my seven months' old baby. It has proved to be the best hot drink we have ever used. We would not give up Postum for the best coffee we ever drank." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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THE KEYSTONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

During the excitement of a fire at the residence of Morris Evans, of Edwardsville, some one of the several persons who were trying to save goods and tossing what they could out of a bedroom window threw out a roll of bills. It fell at the feet of a man who took it, saying he would take care of it. No trace of the man has been found.

William E. Hughes, cashier of the Cudahy Packing Company, Pittston, was arrested on the charge of embezzlement made by an auditor of the company. He was held under $4,000 bail for court. Auditor Snyder said that $3,700 is not acounted for on the deposit books.

P. J. McGuire, of Blairsville, is in jail at Clarion, charged with conspiracy, misrepresentation and fraud in the sale of the stock of the Butler corporation. A. E. Butler and Fred Stage, of Butler, are charged jointly with McGuire and are under bail.

Returning to his home in Frackville, after working all night, Isaac Bachman, a locomotive engineer, found his wife missing. A search of the premises revealed her dead body at the bottom of a fifteen-foot well. It is not known whether death was due to accident or suicide.

Flames that threatened the home of James E. Roderick, Chief of the State Department of Mines and Mining, in Hazleton, were extinguished by women who fought the fire with garden hose and buckets of water.

A bullet was removed from the end of the great toe of the left foot of Charles Fisler, 23 years old, a railroader, who had been shot in the right arm ten years ago by a negro boy. Fisler went to the Harrisburg Hospital, complaining of an itchy feeling in his right arm, which he thought came from being shot there many years ago. Surgeons made a thorough search of the right arm and continuing their search found the bullet lodged in the end of the great toe of his left foot. It is thought the bullet traveled through the man's entire body.

Several boys passing the home of A. S. Steller, supreintendent of the dye works at Sunbury, noticed flames eating their way through a door at the rear of the house. By using their coats they succeeded in smothering the flames. It was found that a firebug had been at work, having saturated a bunch of waste with oil and then pushed it underneath the door. The residence is close to the large dye works. The company operating the dye works has been opposed to employes joining the Textile Workers' Union and recently discharged fifty hands for taking part in such a movement.

The Monessen Board of Education has approved a plan for a school garden at the Iowa School. An acre of ground in the rear of the school will be plowed and fertilized at once. It will be a community garden where all will work and plots will be assigned to scholars. The pupils will market the truck and the proceeds will go toward the expense incurred.

Mrs. Jane Davenport Van Loon, the oldest resident of Plymouth, died, aged 90 years. She died in the same house where she was born. Death came suddenly of heart disease, and half an hour before she was sitting up reading. She was the wife of a former Sheriff of the county and was the mother of thirteen children, only two of whom survive.

The Cumberland Valley Railroad Company has purchased the Chambersburg & Gettysburg Electric Railway Company, which includes the trolley line in Chambersburg, and the road to Fayetteville and Graeffenburg. The line will be extended to Waynesboro by making a trolley line of the Mont Alto Railroad. Eventually this means connection with the Valley Traction Company's line to Harrisburg.

A fire, apparently of incendiary origin, destroyed all the farm buildings on the dairy farm of George Smith, in North Conventry Township, Chester county. Twenty-one head of Holstein cows, together with crops, wagons and agricultural implements, were burned. The loss amounts to about $8,000, partially covered by insurance.

Charged with placing obstructions on the tracks of the Lehigh Valley Traction Company, near Slatington, Thomas O. Williams, of that place, had a hearing before Justice H. A. Schertzinger, of Slatington, and was remanded for trial at court. When arraigned Williams became violently abusive and hurled insulting remarks at the Justice, who finally became impatient and, leaping over the office rail, severely thrashed the prisoner. Williams is said to have been intoxicated at the time when he placed the obstructions on the tracks.

Gas was struck on the property of the Pittsburg Forge & Iron Works in Wood's Run, Allegheny. The well reached a depth of about 1,750 feet, when the gas was struck. The pressure is said to be about seventy-five pounds and is sufficient to operate the plant. The company has been operating seven furnaces in the mill with gas from another well, which was drilled six months ago. This well has an output of about 200,000 feet of gas a day.

Walter Young Schreffler, aged 11, of Reading, sent a revolver bullet into his heart, dying instantly. The boy had been in ill health for some time and was unable to attend school. This preyed upon his mind and he became melancholy. The Coroner is endeavoring to determine whether the shooting was accidental or suicide.

David Culp was rescued after being entombed for ten hours in a breast in the Cameron mine, Shamokin. A big rush of coal had made him prisoner. A brother who worked with him was at the bottom of the mine chamber at the time and gave the alarm. Shortly before he was released the rescuers heard him rapping. He escaped uninjured, but was almost dead for want of air.

The York Cold Storage Company has arranged to store 150 carloads of eggs. Each car will hold 400 cases and each case 360 eggs. The total number of eggs stored will be 21,600,000.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R. G. Dunn & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says:

Spring trade responds to seasonable weather, and shipments of merchandise have increased so rapidly that railway facilities are severely taxed. At many points there is complaint of car and motive power shortage, and navigation on lakes and rivers at the North has not opened as promptly as business demands. The customary damage from floods has rendered many mills idle, and several minor events added to the number of unemployed, but these temporary adverse features are more than offset by the resumption of outdoor work, especially in building operations and on the farms. The buyers are arriving in large numbers at primary markets, warm weather accelerating preparations for Easter trade.

Holders and makers of iron and steel products appear to have secured control of the situation. It is no longer considered desirable to delay the placing of contracts in expectation of better terms.

Failures this week numbered 255 in the United States, against 226 last year, and 16 in Canada, compared with 15 a year ago.

Bradstreet's says:

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending March 23, are, 1,044,595 bushels, against 895,742 last week, 1,801,845 this week last year, 2,401,987 in 1903, and 2,904,110 in 1902. Corn exports for the week are 2,076,836 bushels, against 3,841,411 last week, 1,527,676 a year ago, 3,618,210 in 1903 and 139,205 in 1902.

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.—Flour—Dull and unchanged; receipts, 6,583 barrels; exports, 52 barrels.

Wheat—Dull; spot, contract, 1.10¾@1.10⅞; spot, No. 2 red Western, 1.11½@1.11¾; March, 1.10¾@1.10⅞; April, 1.11½@1.11⅝; May, 1.12½ asked; steamer No. 2 red, 1.03¾ asked; Southern by sample, 98@1.10; Southern on grade, 1.10¾@1.11¼.

Corn—Dull; spot, 52¾@52⅞; March, 52¾@52⅞; April, 52¾@52⅞; steamer mixed, 50¾@50⅞; Southern white corn, 50@53; Southern yellow corn, 50@53.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 37¼@37½; No. 2 mixed, 36¼@36½.

Rye—Firm; No. 2 Western, 87@88.

Hay—Firm; No. 1 timothy and No. 1 clover, unchanged.

Butter—Steady, unchanged; fancy imitation, 23@24, fancy creamery, 27@28; fancy ladle, 21@22; store-packed, 20@21.

Eggs—Easy, unchanged; 16.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged large, 13½; medium, 13¼; small, 14.

Sugar—Strong, unchanged; coarse granulated, 6.15; fine, 6.15.

New York.—Flour—Receipts, 13,249 barrels; exports, 12,214 barrels; dull and unchanged.

Rye Flour—Quiet; choice to fancy, 4.70@4.90.

Cornmeal—Quiet; fine and yellow, 1.25@1.30.

Butter—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 3,364.

Cheese—Strong, unchanged; receipts, 1,048.

Eggs—Firm; receipts, 15,203; State, Pennsylvania, and near by, fancy selected, white, 19; do., choice, 18; do., mixed, extra, 18; Western firsts, 17; do., seconds, 16½; Southerns, 15½@17.

Poultry—Alive steady; Western chickens, 12; fowls, 13; old turkeys, 16; dressed steady; Western chickens, 13@14; fowls, 13@13½; turkeys, 15@20.

Lard—Firm; Western steamed, 7.40; refined firm; continent, 7.50; South American, 7.85; compound, 4¾@5¼.

Pork—Steady; mess, 13.25@13.75.

Cottonseed Oil—Steady; prime yellow, 24¼@25.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 4⅜; centrifugal, 96 test, 5; molasses sugar, 4⅛; refined firm.

Potatoes—Steady; Long Island, 1.50@2.00; State and Western, 1.15@1.25; Jersey sweets, 2.00@5.00.

Peanuts—Firm; fancy hand-picked, 5¼@5½; other domestic, 3¼@5½.

Cabbages—Steady; domestic, per ton, 10.00@15.00.

Live Stock.

New York—Beeves—Medium and good steers, 10c. higher; common, low; bulls, slow to 10c. lower; good cows, slow; others dull and weak. Common to choice steers, 3.00 to 5.90; bulls, 3.40@4.50; cows, 1.80@3.55. Cables quoted live cattle steady at 11 to 12c. per pound; tops, 12½c. dressed weight; refrigerator beef selling at 8¼ to 8½c. per pound.

Calves—Cables active and firm; no prime veals here; all sold. Veals, 5.00@8.50; little calves and culls, 3.00@4.00; barnyard calves, 3.50; dressed calves, steady; city dressed veals, 8@13c. per pound; country dressed, 7@11½c.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, steady; lambs, slow. Fair sheep, 5.50; lambs, 7.75@8.00.

Chicago—Cattle—Market steady. Good to prime steers, 5.10@6.25; poor to medium, 3.75@4.85; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.60; cows, 2.85@4.50; heifers, 3.00@5.00; canners, 1.50@2.30; bulls, 2.25@4.00; calves, 3.00@6.50.

Hogs—Market 10c. higher. Mixed and butchers, 5.00@5.27½; good to choice heavy, 5.15@5.30; rough heavy, 5.00@5.10; light, 4.95@5.20; bulk of sales, 5.15@5.25.

Sheep—Market steady. Good to choice wethers, 4.60@6.50; fair to choice mixed, 4.75@5.40; native lambs, 5.50@7.60.

MUCH IN LITTLE.

Russia has 86 general holidays in a year.

There are 2,000 rivers in the British Empire.

A large factory for making "artificial silk" is to be established at Florence, Italy.

Of the $5,600,000,000 of gold in the world the United States possesses $1,300,000,000, or nearly one-fourth.

A Berlin court was recently called upon to deal with an action brought by a woman of 30 who was a grandmother.

The haikwan (customs) tael was valued by the United States Treasury at 54.6 cents in 1903, 63 cents in 1902, and 73.3 cents in 1901.

Railway carriages transformable into ambulance compartments for the use of passengers who have been taken ill have been provided on the Prussian railways for express routes.

JOVIAL SIR WALTER SCOTT.

Lightsome and Gay and a Fine Old Scottish Gentleman.

Every one may be said to know the author of "Waverley," but George Croal of Edinburgh, who has been interviewed by the Dispatch of that city, enjoys the distinction of having talked to the man in the flesh and of being probably the sole survivor among those who heard Sir Walter Scott declare himself the author of "Waverley" at a public dinner in the assembly room in 1827.

"The announcement did not come quite as a surprise," says Mr. Croal, "for it had been hinted that Sir Walter would reveal himself. I can recall the suppressed interest of the gathering throughout the dinner proper. It was in reply to the toast of his health that Sir Walter admitted the soft impeachment. I can remember his closing words exactly. They were: 'I am the sole and undivided author of "Waverley."' Needless to say there was great enthusiasm. The company rose en masse and I thought the roof would come off."

Scott, Mr. Croal adds, was congratulated all round. "It was a gay night and the utmost conviviality prevailed."

Asked whether he recollected the personality of Sir Walter Scott, Mr. Croal replied that he did so vividly.

"He was lightsome and gay and looked the real type of a fine old Scottish gentleman, chatting animatedly with one of the law lords sitting next to him. He made a first-class after-dinner speaker and, young though I was, I carried away a last impression of his kindly social disposition."

In the course of the evening Sir Walter complimented Charles Mackay, the comedian, who was present, upon his success in the role of Bailie Nicol Jarvie. Mackay was embarrassed and Mr. Croal distinctly remembers him saying: "Who would have thought I would get such a compliment from the great unknown?" "Not unknown now, Mr. Bailie," jocularly retorted Sir Walter.

Big Bag of Jack Rabbits.

Thirty-nine jack rabbits were killed the other night at one shot by Mrs. William Boyd of Miller, S. D., who poked the barrel of her shotgun through the kitchen window. The rabbits came to the farm in droves, nibbled at the haystacks and played havoc with fruit trees. Boyd had shot many and his wife bet him a pair of ear muffs against a barrel of apples that she could kill more rabbits at one shot than he could carry on his back at one load. Mrs. Boyd sprinkled a bushel of oats in a path. The rabbits gathered by scores until there was a long row of them eating oats in the bright moonlight. The woman fired, and her aim was accurate. Boyd loaded himself down with more than 100 pounds of dead rabbits, then sank into the snow and his wife had to pull him out.

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Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never Fails. Sold by all druggists, $1. Mail orders promptly filled by Dr. E. Detchon, Crawfordsville, Ind.

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CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Reformed—Union, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

Lutheran—Georges Valley, morning; Centre Hall, afternoon; Tusseyville, evening.

United Evangelical—Saturday afternoon, Quarterly Conference meeting at Centre Hall. Sunday morning, services at Lemont; afternoon, at Linden Hall; evening, Centre Hall. Communion services at each place, and sermons by Presiding Elder Crumbling.

Boalsburg Reformed—Pine Grove, morning; Pine Hall, afternoon.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning; Spring Mills, afternoon.

[Appointments not given here have not been reported to this office.]

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR TREASURER: F. K. WHITE.

We are authorized to announce that F. K. White, of the Borough of Philipsburg, is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF: ELLIS S. SHAFFER.

We are authorized to announce that Ellis S. Shaffer, of Miles township, is a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

FOR RECORDER: J. C. ROWE.

We are authorized to announce that J. C. Rowe is a candidate for the office of Recorder, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

FOR TREASURER: J. D. MILLER.

We are authorized to announce that J. D. Miller, of the township of Walker, is a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

FOR COMMISSIONER: WM. H. FRY.

We are authorized to announce that William H. Fry, of Ferguson township, is a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

FOR REGISTER: H. J. JACKSON.

We are authorized to announce that H. J. Jackson, of Bellefonte, is a candidate for the office of Register subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

FOR REGISTER: D. WAGNER GEISS.

We are authorized to announce that D. Wagner Geiss, of Bellefonte, is a candidate for the office of Register, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

Same Old Thing.

Soon anglers will be out again
And by the brooklet's shore
Will idly lie and fish and then
Go home and lie some more.

The $40 Salary Bill Killed.

The Ober bill, raising the minimum salary of school teachers from $35 to $40 a month, was killed in the House of Representatives.

Dr. Schaffer Re-appointed.

Dr. N. C. Schaffer has been re-appointed state superintendent of public instruction by Governor Pennypacker. Dr. Schaffer was first appointed by Governor Pattison, and has held the office continuously without regard to the political complexion of the succeeding governors.

Primary School Opens April 11.

The Centre Hall Primary School, by Miss Helen Hosterman, will open Monday, April 11. From present indications she will have a goodly number of scholars. It is this extra schooling children get during the summer months that tells at end of the school year.

Rev. Limbert Goes to Altoona.

Rev. George E. Limbert, who for the past six years has served a Reformed charge in Danville, resigned as pastor and has accepted a call to the Trinity Reformed Church in Altoona. Rev. Limbert is a native of Madisonburg and is a brother-in-law of Miss Rebecca Moyer, teacher of the Intermediate grade of the Centre Hall public schools.

Millinery Opening.

Mrs. Lucy Henney is in Philadelphia at present securing her spring stock of millinery goods, which will consist of the latest styles of ladies' head-wear and trimmings, etc. Her opening days are Thursday and Friday, April 13th and 14th. She invites all who are in need of goods in her line to call to see her stock on those days, and will be pleased to have the ladies come to look over the patterns whether they want to purchase or not.

Remember the dates, Thursday and Friday, April 13th and 14th.

Mountain Fires.

Mountain fires have been raging during the past week. The mountain fire has become such an ordinary occurrence that the great extent of its destructiveness is little thought of, yet that agency is one of the chief causes of the many unsightly, barren mountains constantly before the traveler's eyes in Pennsylvania. But for the destruction by fire of young timber the hundreds of thousands of acres that today are totally without a growth of any sort would be developing valuable timber for the present and future generations.

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HOW THE STATE SPIES OF EUROPE DO THEIR WORK.

Military Secrets Often Revealed by Local Papers to Watchful Government Agents—Russia and France Partial to Female Spies.

When people read or hear of a secret service agent the picture of a man armed to the teeth with revolvers and stilettos, a mixture of a Sherlock Holmes and a Bill Sikes, rises before their eyes.

Now, as a matter of fact, the best secret service agent in the world and the one most generally relied upon by the nations is the editor of the local paper.

Let us call the town Greenbeach and assume that the government has decided to build a hidden battery close by. The editor of the Greenbeach Gazette will announce in his columns that Inspector or Captain So-and-so has arrived at the local hotel to superintend some work for the government. Next week tenders will be invited for bricks, cement and slags. The foreign intelligence man, reading this news in Paris, Berlin or St. Petersburg, begins to chuckle. "This is going to be interesting."

A few months pass, while foreign eyes daily scan the paper for news of the battery. At last the editor gravely informs his readers that "new guns for the battery now building have arrived."

"Aha," says the intelligence man, "our agent in London must have a look at that!" And accordingly one day a pleasant foreigner arrives at Greenbeach, starts painting the cliffs, chats in the evening with the local topers at the bar and is a good listener when yarns about the new battery are told. Finally he departs and sends his report to his chief, who hands it on to his expert branch for close investigation.

As regards the spies of the secret intelligence service, it is interesting to know that the supply largely exceeds the demand. For any one who has not been in the service himself it seems incredible what numbers of scoundrels, young and old, are to be found in most armies and navies who will willingly sell their country's secrets to the highest bidder.

These and a few specially appointed agents are the main retailers of military secrets. There are, further, the deserters, who, arriving in a strange country, generally without money, turn the knowledge they have acquired during their time of service into money by selling their country's secrets.

On this account of course prices are not so high as is generally believed. For example, a government would rarely pay "several thousand pounds" for the purchase of a signal book. Was not the secret of the French field guns sold in 1898 to Germany for 5,000 francs (£200), and such a secret has a hundredfold the value of a signal book.

Altogether the life of the secret service man is not devoid of interest. He gets hardened to the business, and if it were not for the exciting fact that where other people deal in goods he deals in the lives of nations it would soon pall.

Of course on the first occasions when you have been sent to a foreign country and carry papers in your pocket which if found on you would obtain for you twenty years' hard labor free of charge, it is difficult to keep perfectly at ease when talking to a high police officer or military official. In the end, however, you get used to it and careless till you are caught.

The main agents of Russia and France are ladies, while Germany prefers men. So does Britain.

The triumph of the French policy of employing female spies was celebrated in Italy when a well known lady of the French embassy managed to get the Italian minister into her toils. It was at the time Italy intended to occupy Tunis and to establish a protectorate there. The Italian fleet was preparing at Palermo.

In only two more days it would sail, and Tunis would belong to Italy, when during one of the lovers' meetings the Italian minister let the secret out. The rest belongs to history. France arrived first and occupied Tunis.

Here is another fact which may appear hardly credible, but is absolutely true: At the beginning of the South African war I had to consult with the intelligence department of a large German gun firm, and for fun the chief of the department showed me the record of the armaments of the Boers. Well, this record was true to the last line, while the report of the British intelligence department contained not even a list of guns sold to the Boers by British firms previous to the war.

Great Britain has an excellent but small secret service. We pry less perhaps than any other power, but no important subject is left uncovered. We spend perhaps £5 against £50 by our continental neighbors, but much of our intelligence costs nothing, being accepted from honorary sources. For this reason it is frequently valueless. In the South African war many mistakes were made through inaccurate news and the employment of people who would go to any length to justify their employment for the time being.

The compilation of facts is fairly easy in British possessions. Foreign officers can always secure admission to factories and dockyards, and, the openness of their treatment is not equaled in any other country.—London Express.

Speedy Path to Pulchritude.

"Doctor," said the homely maid, "can you recommend something that will make me beautiful?"

"Yes; inherit half a million," replied the M. D. "Two dollars, please."—Chicago News.

The Oliver Typewriter for sale at this office. It is one of the best machines on the market.

HOW THE BUSHMAN FINDS HIS WAY BY MEANS OF LANDMARKS.

Every Detail of a Route Over Which He Has Once Passed Is Photographed on the Brain of the Alert and Observant Trapper.

What appears marvelous and positively uncanny to a town person is simple to a bushman.

Years of continuous observation develop the bump of locality; every object has a place and meaning to a trapper; his eye is ever on the alert, and what his eye sees is photographed on the brain and remains there for future reference at any time he may require it.

This bump of locality is highly developed in all Indians and whites who have passed many years in the bush. Without the faculty of remembering objects a bushman could not find his way through the forests.

Provided the trapper has once passed from one place to another he is pretty sure to find his way through the second time even if years should have elapsed between the trips. Every object from start to finish is an index finger pointing out the right path. A sloping path, a leaning tree, a moss covered rock, a slight elevation in land, a cut in the hills, the water in the creek, an odd looking stone, a blasted tree—all help as guides as the observant trapper makes his way through a pathless forest.

Of course this tax on the memory is not required of trappers about a settled part of the country, but I am telling of what is absolutely necessary for the safety of one's life in the faraway wilds of the north, where to lose one's self might mean death.

I followed an Indian guide once over a trail of 280 miles, whereon we snowshoed over mountains, through dense bush, down rivers and over lakes. To test my powers of a retentive memory the following winter, when dispatches again had to be taken to headquarters, I asked the Indian to allow me to act as guide, he following.

On that long journey of ten or twelve days, always walking and continually thinking out the road, I was in doubt only once. We were standing on the ice. A tongue of land stood out toward us, a bay on either side. The portage leaving the lake was at the bottom of one of these bays, but which? The Indian had halted almost on the tails of my snowshoes and enjoyed my hesitation, but said nothing. To be assured of no mistake I had to pass over the whole of last winter's trip in my mind's eye to the point on which we stood. Once the retrospect caught up with us, there was not further trouble. Our route was down the left hand bay.

When the Indian saw me start in that direction he said, "A-a-ke-pu-kis-tan" ("Yes, yes, you are able").

The most difficult proposition to tackle is a black spruce swamp. The trees are mostly of a uniform size and height, the surface of the snow is perfectly level, and at times our route lies miles through such a country, and should there be a dull leaden sky or a gentle snow falling there is nothing for the guide to depend on but his ability to walk straight.

It has been written time and again that the tendency, when there are no landmarks, is to walk in a circle.

By constant practice those who are brought up in the wilds acquire the ability to walk in a straight line. They begin by beating a trail from point to point on some long stretch of ice, and in the bush where any tree or obstruction bars the way they make up for any deviation from the straight course by a give and take process, so that the general line of march is straight.

During forty years in the country I never knew an Indian or white bushman to carry a compass. Apart from a black spruce swamp it would be no use whatever.

In going from one place to another the contour of the country has to be considered, and very frequently the "longest way round is the shortest way home." A ridge of mountains might lie between the place of starting and the objective point, and by making a detour round the spur one would easier reach his destination rather than to climb up one side and down the other.

If I were to tell you as a fact that when a bushman sees the track of some wild animal in the snow he can tell you not only the name of the animal, but if it was male or female, within an hour of the time the tracks were made, if it was calm or blowing and the direction of the wind at that time and many other minor things, you would think this wonderful. Yet, as wonderful as this may appear and hardly to be credited, an Indian boy of ten or twelve can read this page from nature as easily as one of us can read a page of print.—Forest and Stream.

Trademarks.

The practice of employing a mark to denote the goods of a particular trader grew out of the use of signs, which were of great antiquity, but it is difficult to assign a date to the origin of trademarks proper. They were apparently in use in the time of Elizabeth, but the first recorded case is in 1783, when it was decided that the sale of a certain medicine under the mark of another trader was fraudulent.

No satisfactory law was passed, however, until 1862, when the first British trademark registry was established. This law was repealed by the patent designs and trademarks act of 1883, the principal clauses of the old act being incorporated into this new one, and all proceedings for the registration of trademarks are now regulated by the patents acts, a special branch of the patent office being devoted to this work.

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DEATHS.

MRS. JOHN CLARK.

Elizabeth, wife of John Clark, died in Bellefonte Wednesday of last week, aged fifty-five years. She was a daughter of Samuel and Sarah Gettig, and was born in Brush Valley.

She was married twice, her first husband, Adam Lose, having died several years ago. She leaves the following children: Calvin Lose, of Marion twp; Chas. and Sadie Lose at home and Della, Minnie and Lizzie Clark also at home.

She also leaves the following brothers and sisters: Lewis and Irvin of Bellefonte; George and Clayton, of Pleasant Gap; Frank, of Curtins Works; Mrs. Frank Weaver, Mrs. John Uhl, Mrs. Harvey Hoy, of Pleasant Gap, and Mrs. Wm. Sampsell, of Braddock, Allegheny county, Pa.

One son William died a month ago at Clearfield but the mother who was ill at the time was spared this sad news.

MRS. IDA HAMPTON.

After a brief illness Mrs. Ida Hampton, wife of Hugh Hampton, an employe of the College, died early Thursday morning of last week of pneumonia at her home in State College. She was a daughter of David Fulton, and leaves a small child nine months old.

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Elyar G. DeArmitt, of Mingoville, comes in for a share of the honors being passed around among the trappers. Last winter he captured ninety-one animals: Two minks, fox, coon, opossum, six skunks, eighty-one muskrats.

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REGISTER'S NOTICE.

The following accounts have been examined, passed and filed of record in the Register's office, for the inspection of heirs and legatees, creditors and all others in anywise interested, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Centre county for confirmation on Wednesday, the 26th day of April, A. D., 1905.

1. First and partial account of Frank M. Curtain, administrator of Josephine T. Curtain, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased.
2. Second partial account of W. H. Williams, sole acting administrator of Aaron Williams, late of the borough of Bellefonte, deceased.
3. First and final account of R. E. Stover, guardian of George Spayde, Marion township.
4. First and final account of J. Herbert Hull, administrator of etc., of Joseph Hull, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased.
5. First and final account of William M. Allison, administrator of Malinda Smetzler, late of Gregg township, deceased.
6. First and final account of N. H. Yearick and James E. Martin, executors of etc., of Henry Yearick, late of Marion township, deceased.
7. The first and final account of Emeline Hess and Susan Wagner, executrixes of the last will and testament of Sarah Wagner, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased.
8. The account of J. C. and W. R. Brachbill, administrators d. b. n. c. t. a. of John Brachbill, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased, as filed by W. R. Brachbill, surviving administrator d. b. n. c. t. a.
9. First and final account of Josiah and Daniel Long, administrators of etc. of Catharine Long, late of Penn township, deceased.
10. The first and final account of D. G. A. Harshberger, administrator of etc. of Nancy Ellen Harshberger, late of Worth township, deceased.
11. John P. Harris, trustee appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre county under the last will and testament of William A. Thomas, late of Bellefonte borough in said county of Centre and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, hereby renders his eleventh (11th) annual statement of the trust received by him as aforesaid; being the thirty-seventh (37th) annual statement of said trust.
12. John P. Harris, trustee appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre county under the last will and testament of William A. Thomas, late of Bellefonte borough in said county of Centre and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, hereby renders his twelfth (12th) annual statement of the trust received by him as aforesaid; being the thirty-eighth (38th) annual statement of said trust.
12. The second account of R. W. A. Jameson, administrator of etc. of Jeremiah Kline, late of Haines township, deceased.
14. Final account of J. Kennedy Johnston, guardian of Carolyne M. Anderson.
15. First and final account of Jacob Bottorf, executor of the last will and testament of Franklin Bohn, late of College township, deceased.
16. First and final account of H. H. Harshberger, guardian for Harry F. Burkholder.

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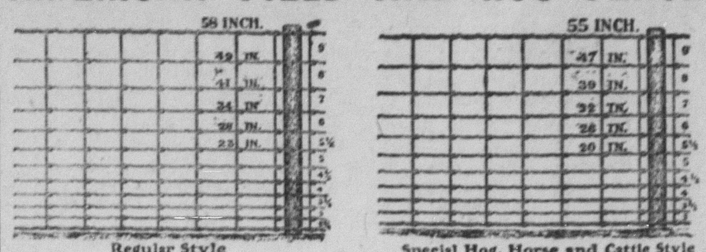

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